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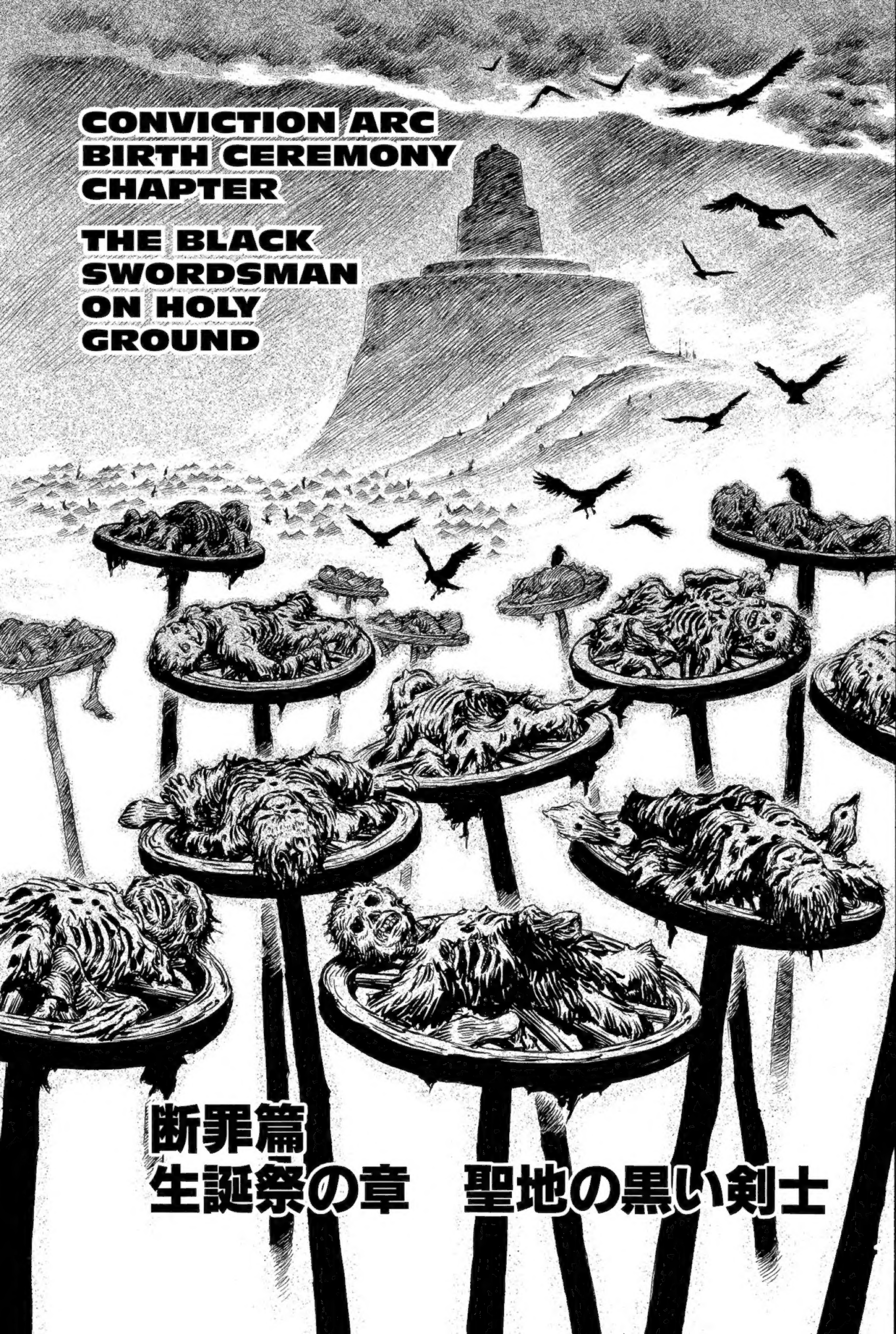
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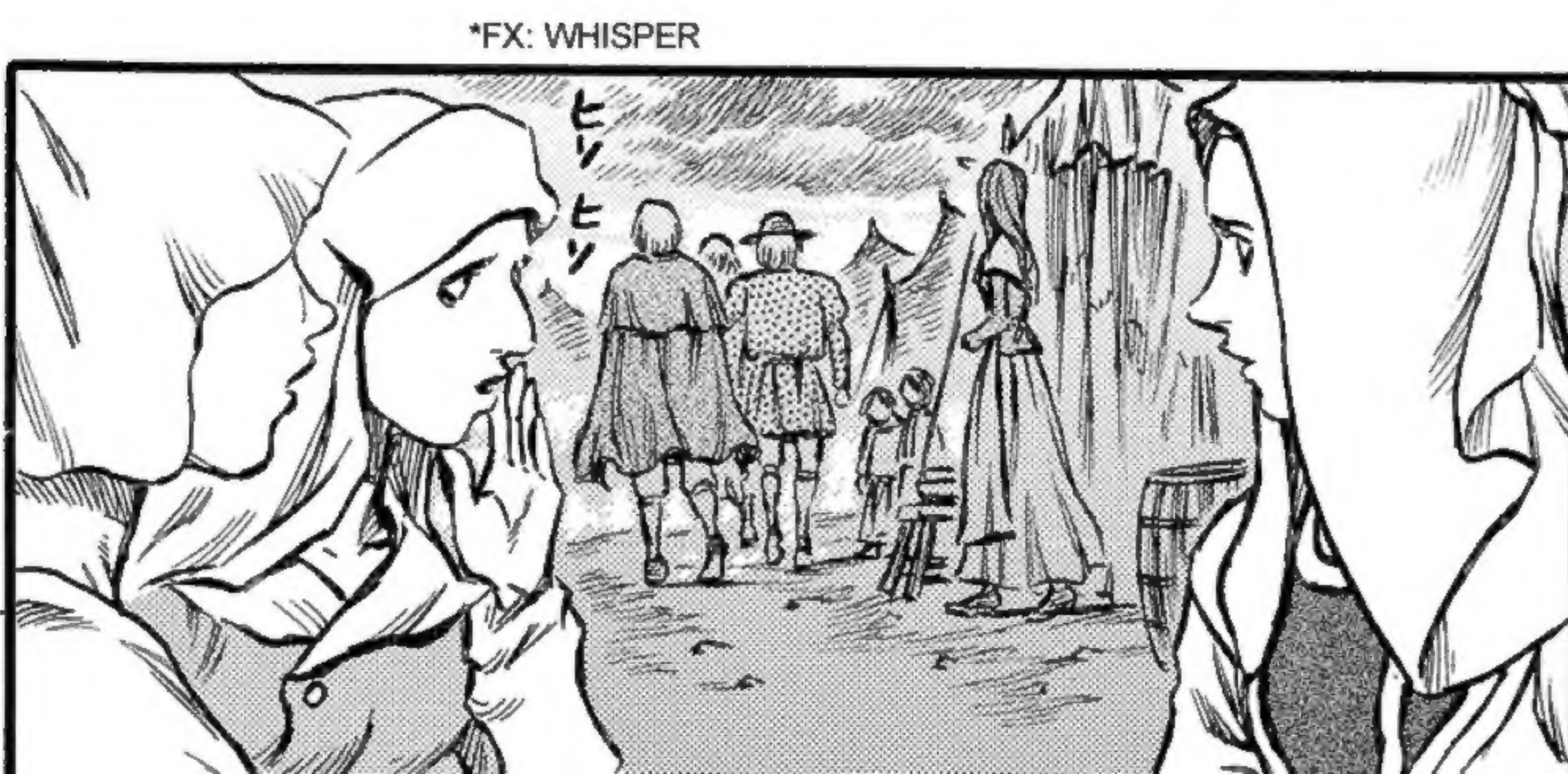
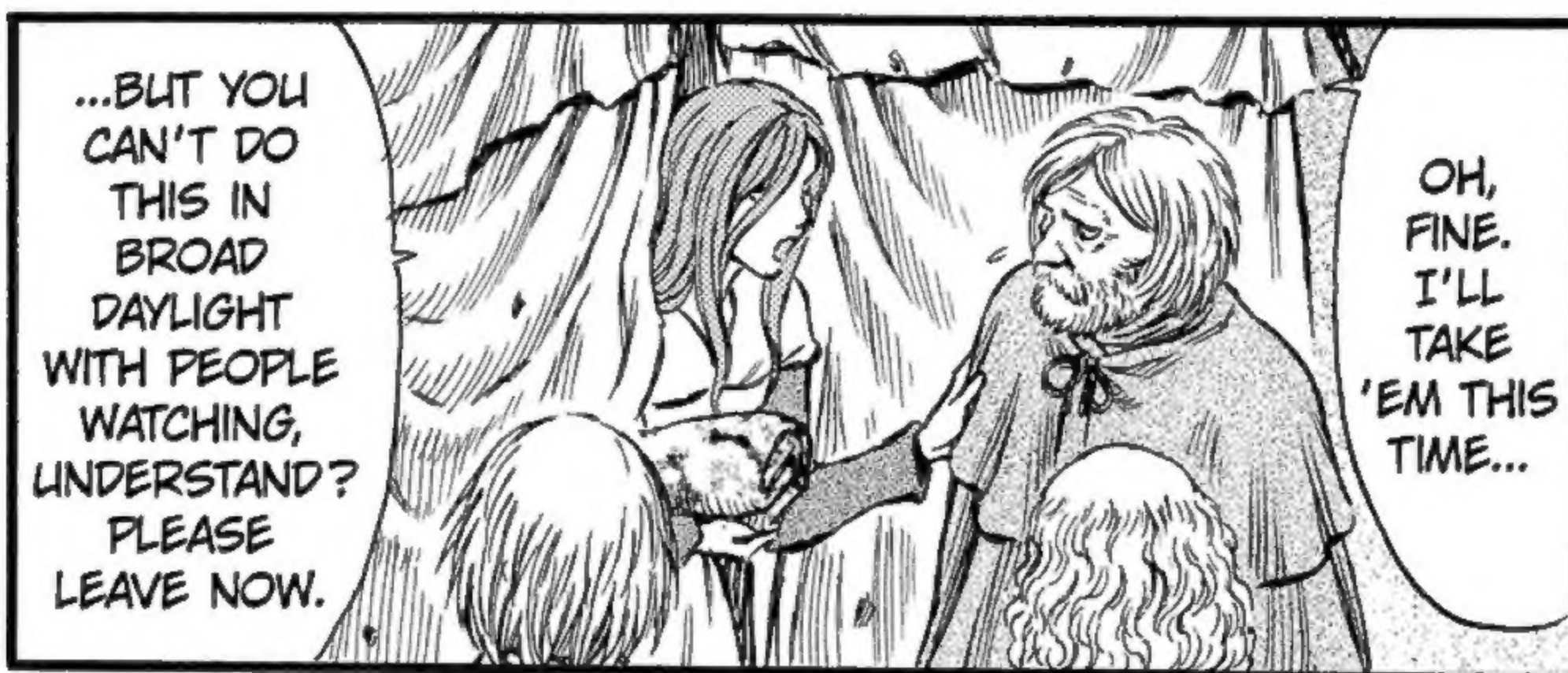
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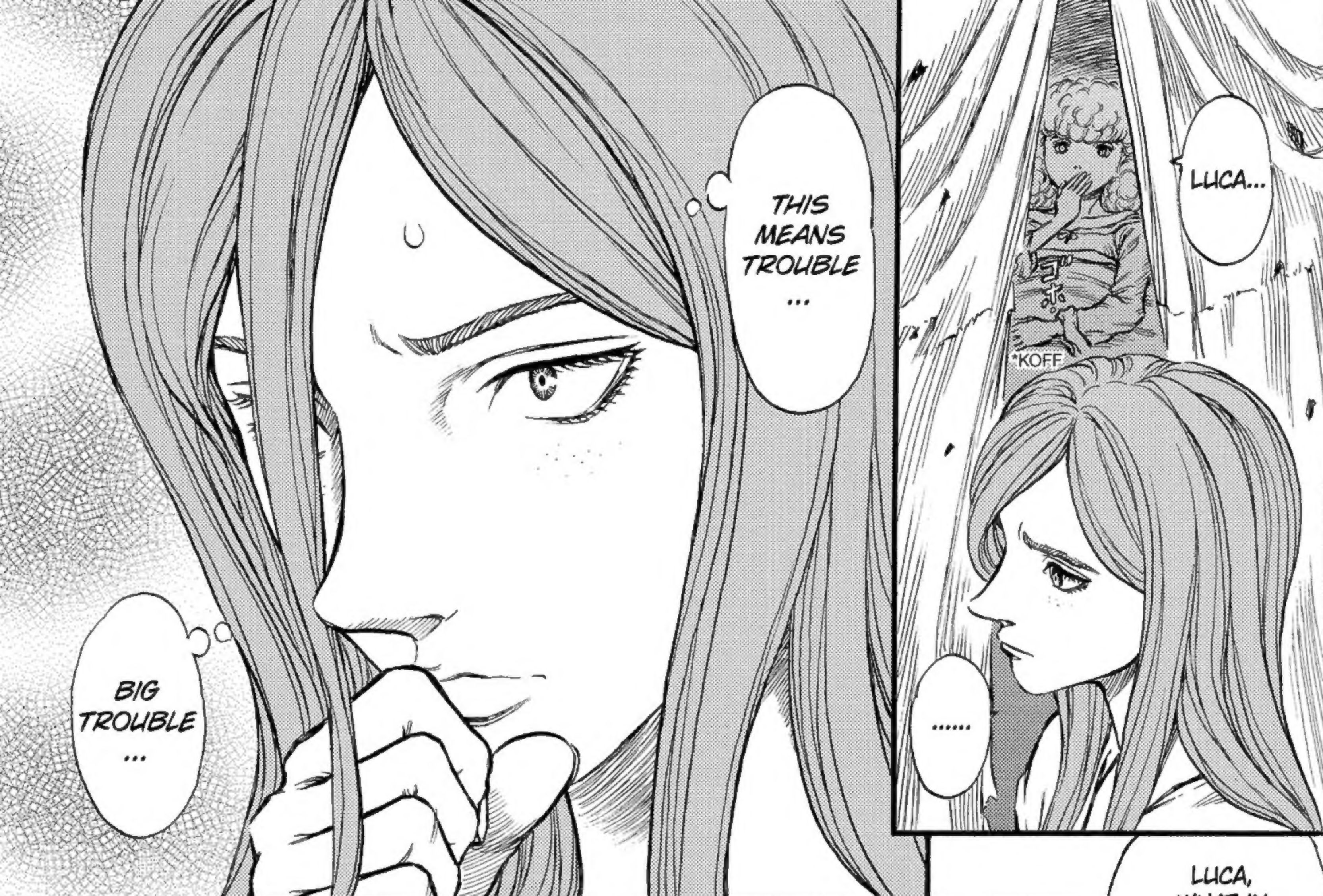
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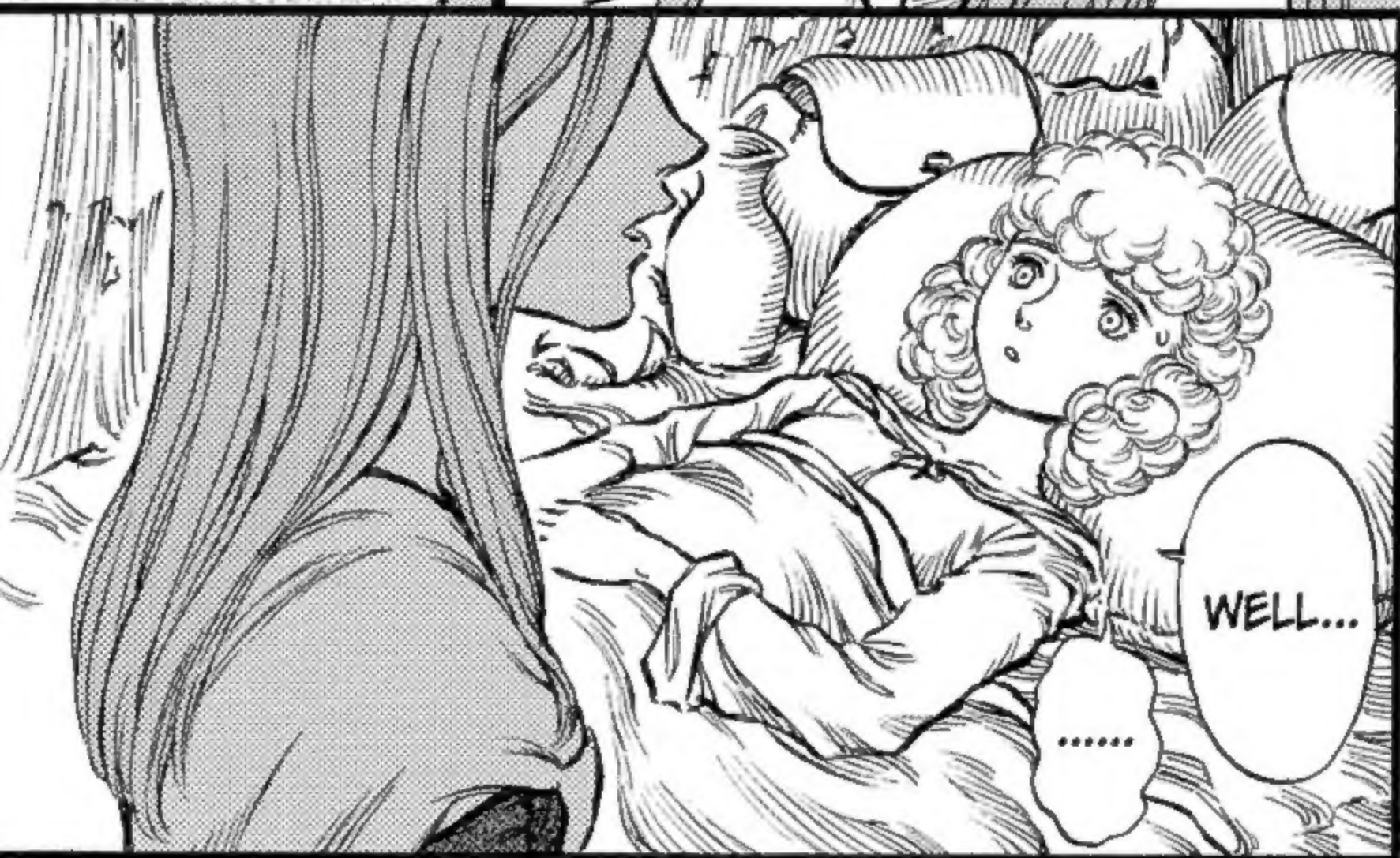
BIG
TROUBLE
...

THIS
MEANS
TROUBLE
...

LUCA...

*KOFF

.....



WELL...

.....

IT'S SO SUDDEN...
AND ISN'T ALL
THIS STUFF
TRIBUTE
FOR ELAINE?
I DON'T GET IT.

LUCA,
WHAT IN
THE WORLD
IS THIS?

ホホホホホホ

*FX: HOHOHOHOHO

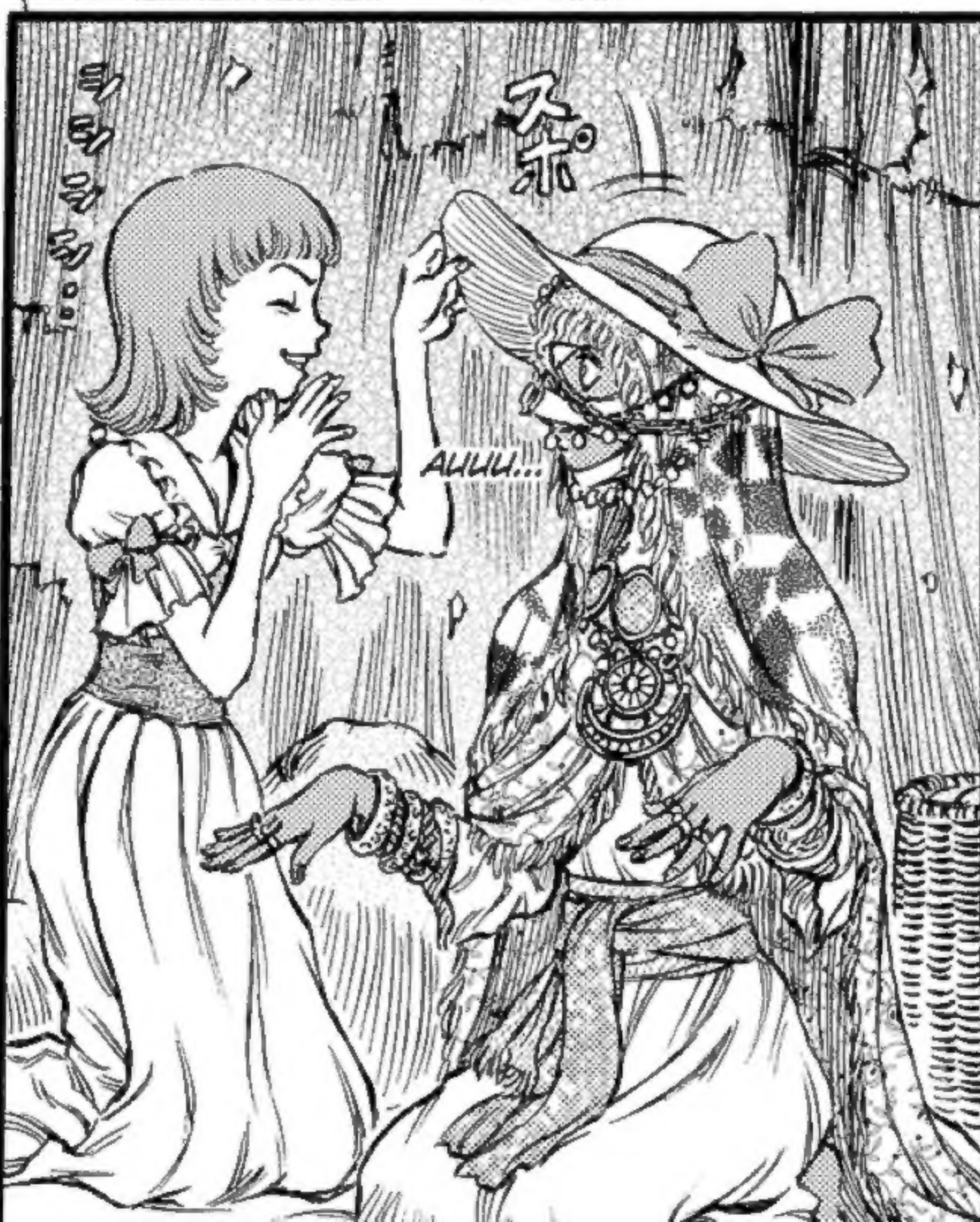
*FX: HEEHEEHEEHEE

*FX: POINK

MORE COMES
IN THAN WE
CAN HANDLE.

OKAY...
BUT WE
CAN'T
KEEP UP.

WE'LL TALK
ABOUT
THAT SOON.
FOR NOW,
GO AND
SHARE THE
TRIBUTE.



ALLUU...

IT'S ONLY A
MATTER OF
TIME BEFORE
THE HUNTERS
CATCH WIND.

AT
THIS RATE
WE'LL BE
TURNED IN
EVENTUALLY.

フキッ!

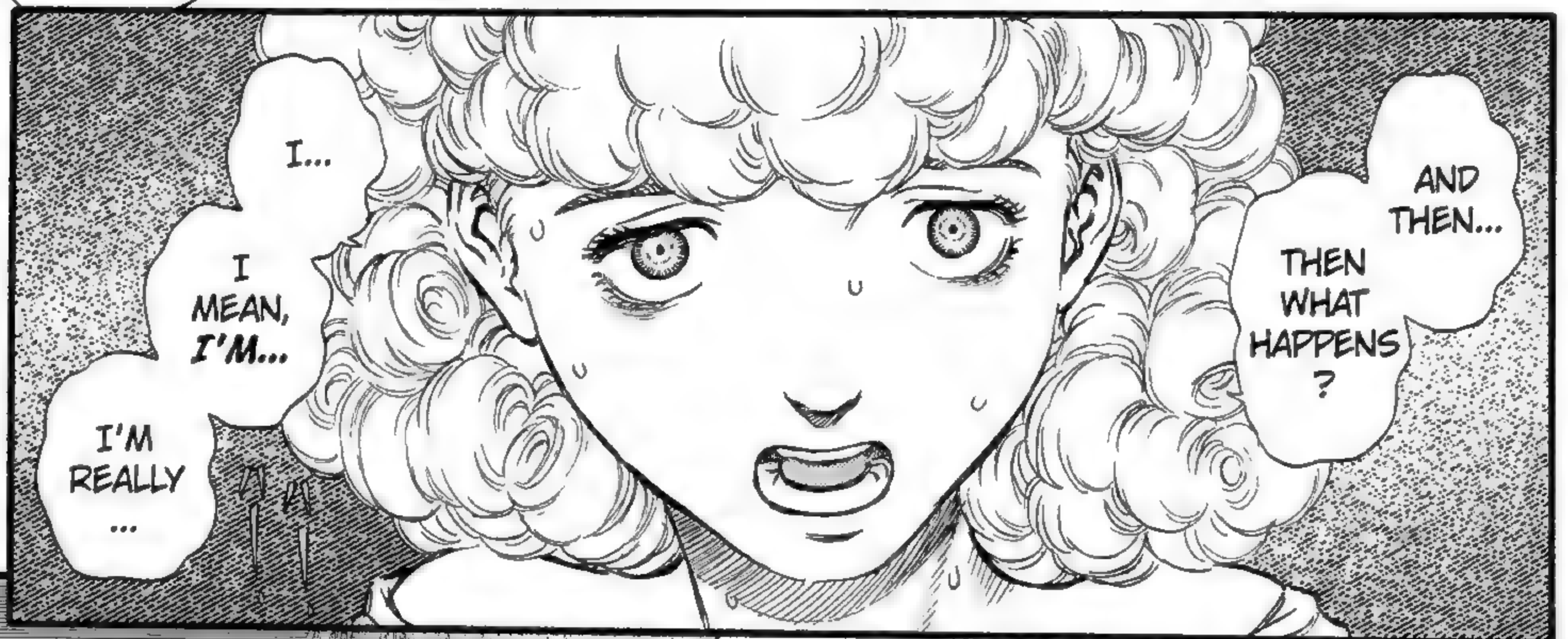
*FX: HAHH HAHH

*FX: SSSPOP



*FX: WHEWW

LUCA, WHAT
WILL WE DO
WITH HER...?

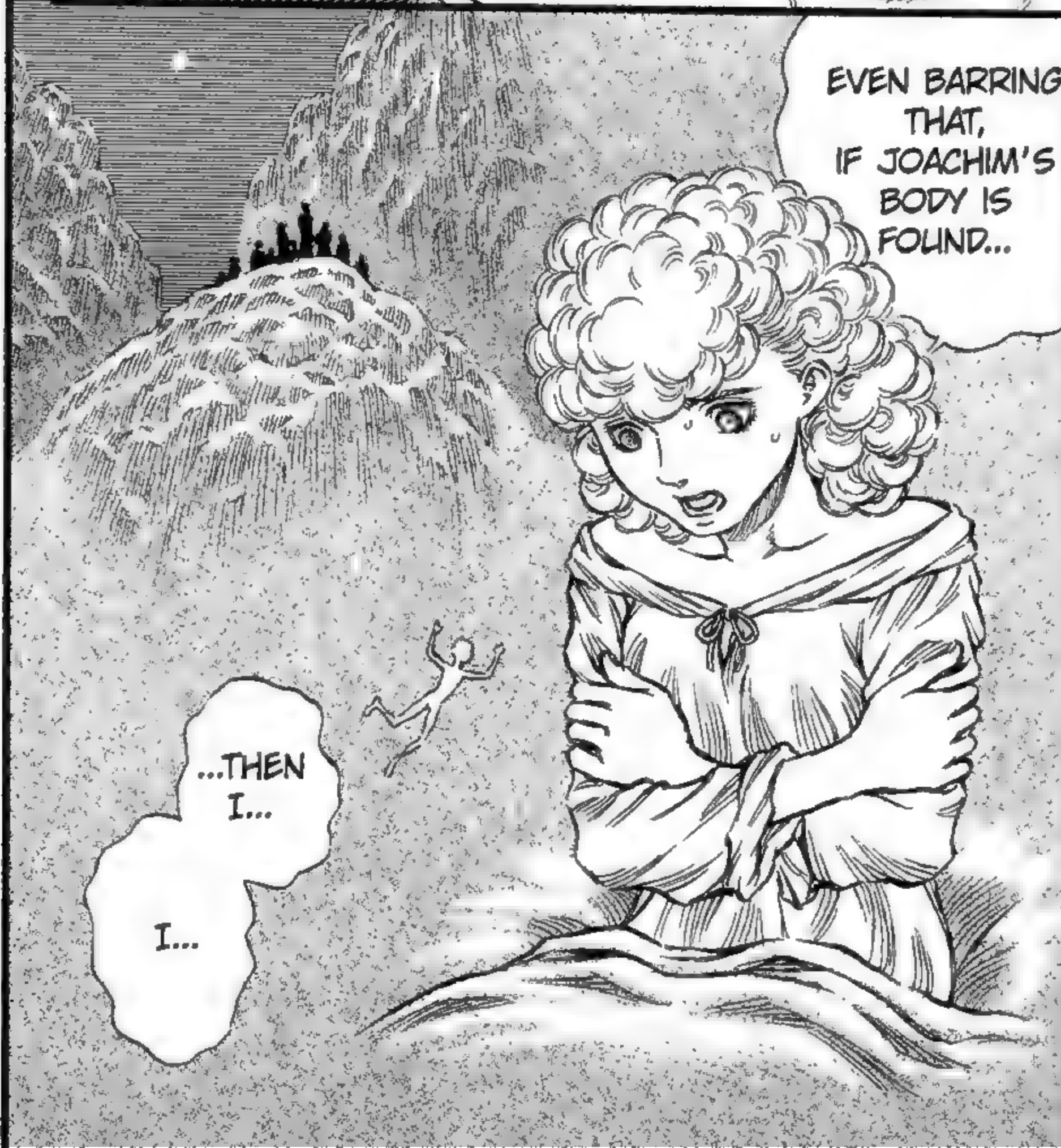


I...

I
MEAN,
I'M...

I'M
REALLY
...

AND
THEN...
THEN
WHAT
HAPPENS
?



EVEN BARRING
THAT,
IF JOACHIM'S
BODY IS
FOUND...

...THEN
I...

I...

*FX: KOFF KOFF



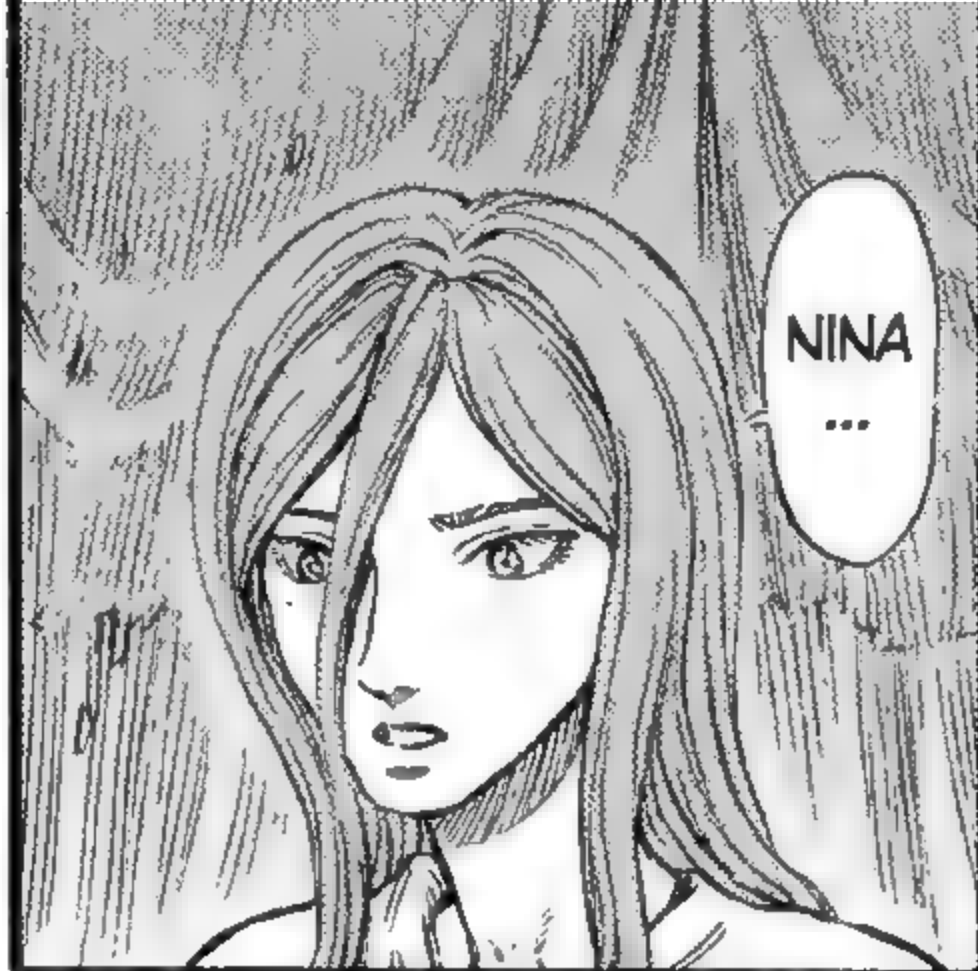
NOW CALM
DOWN,
NINA.

I
CAN'T
!



...THAT GIRL.

JUST GET RID OF...



NINA ...



LET'S DITCH HER.

!



IT...IT'S ALL RIGHT. ELAINE CAN GET BY ON HER OWN. I MEAN, SHE'S REALLY... YOU KNOW... WE CAN JUST HAND HER OVER TO MY PEOPLE. I'M SURE THEY'LL TREAT HER WELL.

*FX: CHEW



B-BUT IT'S CRAZY!!

AGAIN, NINA?!



*FX: FLINCH

*FX: IGH

IF WE GET ANY MORE INVOLVED WITH HER...

...IT'LL REALLY BE THE END OF US!



WE'VE DONE WELL!! WE'VE DONE ENOUGH!!

WE'VE LOOKED AFTER HER PLENTY ALREADY !!

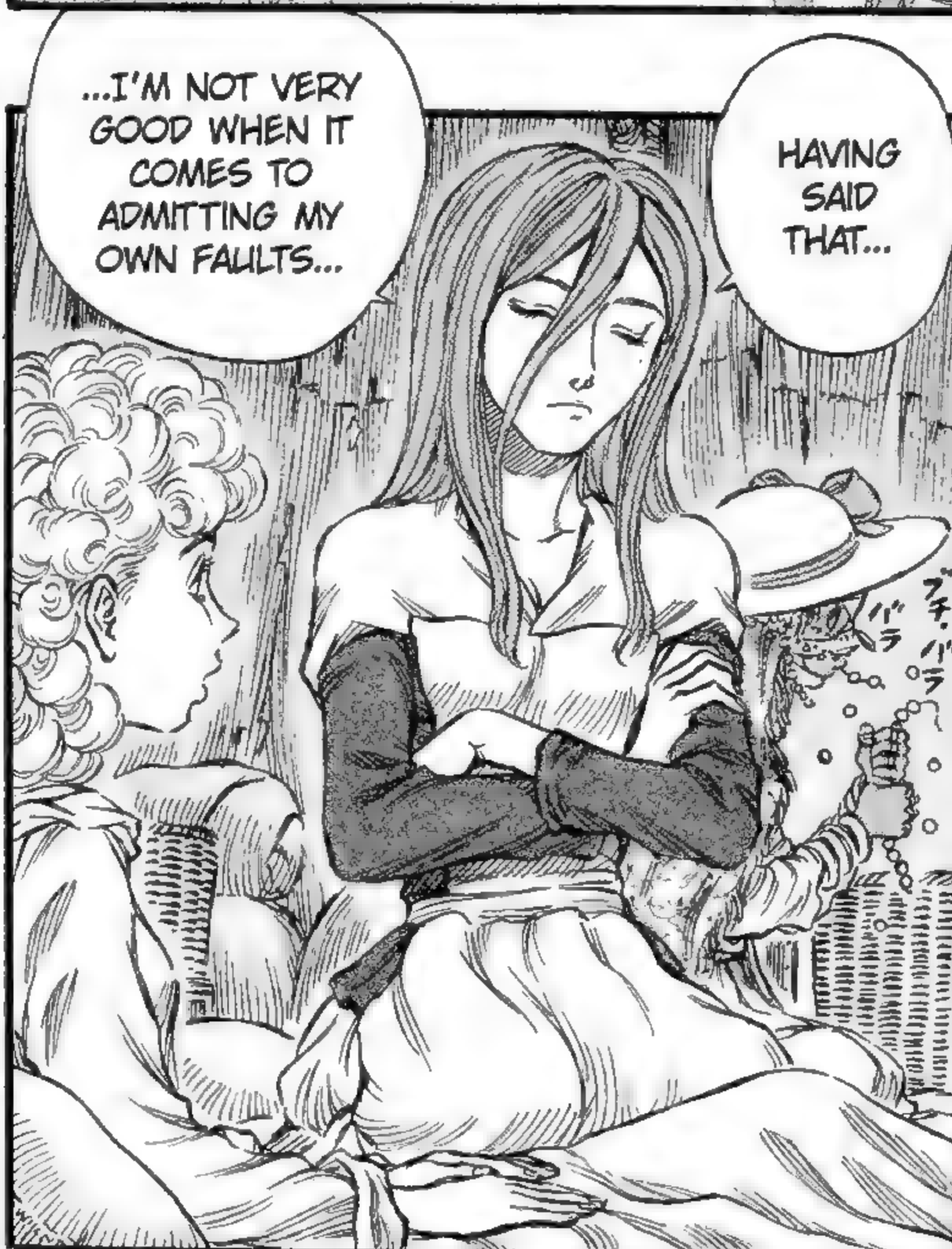


I'LL NOT
ABANDON
SOMEONE.

I WON'T
DO THAT
FOR
ANYTHING.

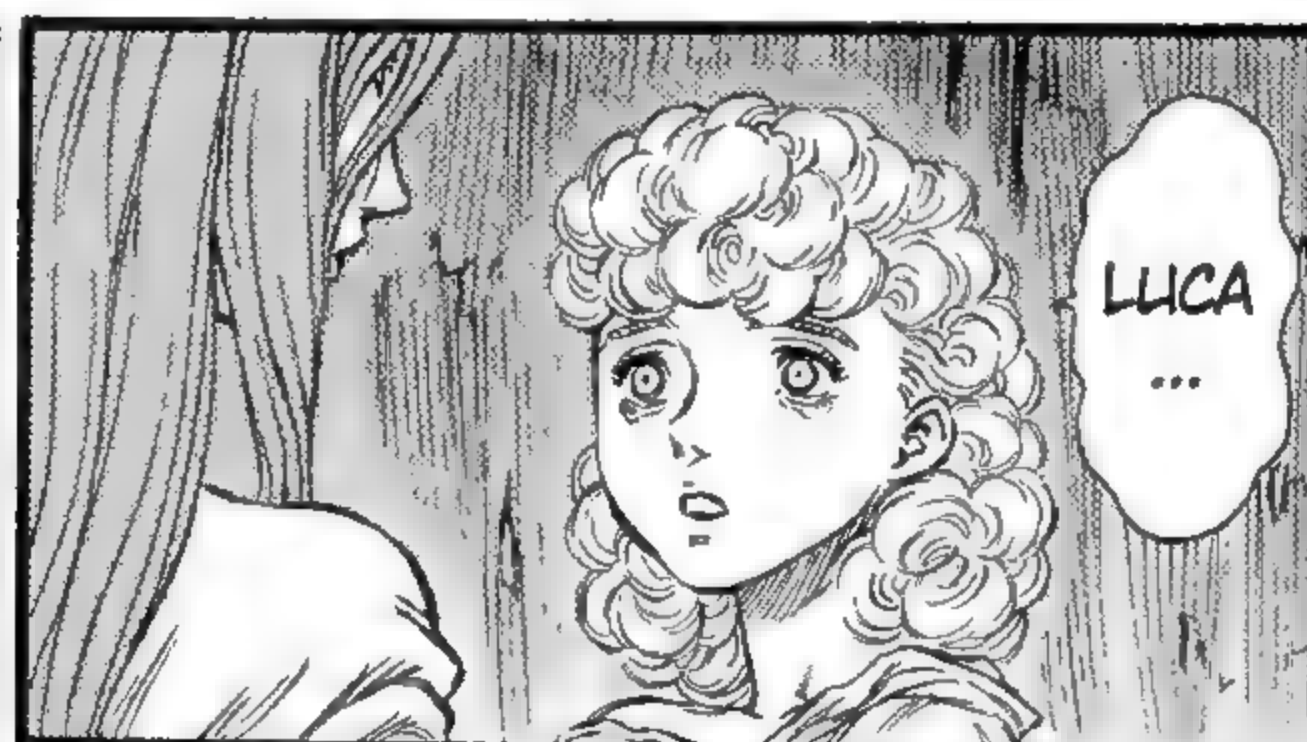
...NOR
YOU.

NEITHER
ELAINE...



...I'M NOT VERY
GOOD WHEN IT
COMES TO
ADMITTING MY
OWN FAULTS...

HAVING
SAID
THAT...



LUCA
...



MAYBE I HAVE
BEEN HIGH-
HANDED AND
CONDESCENDING,
LIKE YOU SAID.

*FX: SCATTER

*FX: PUP



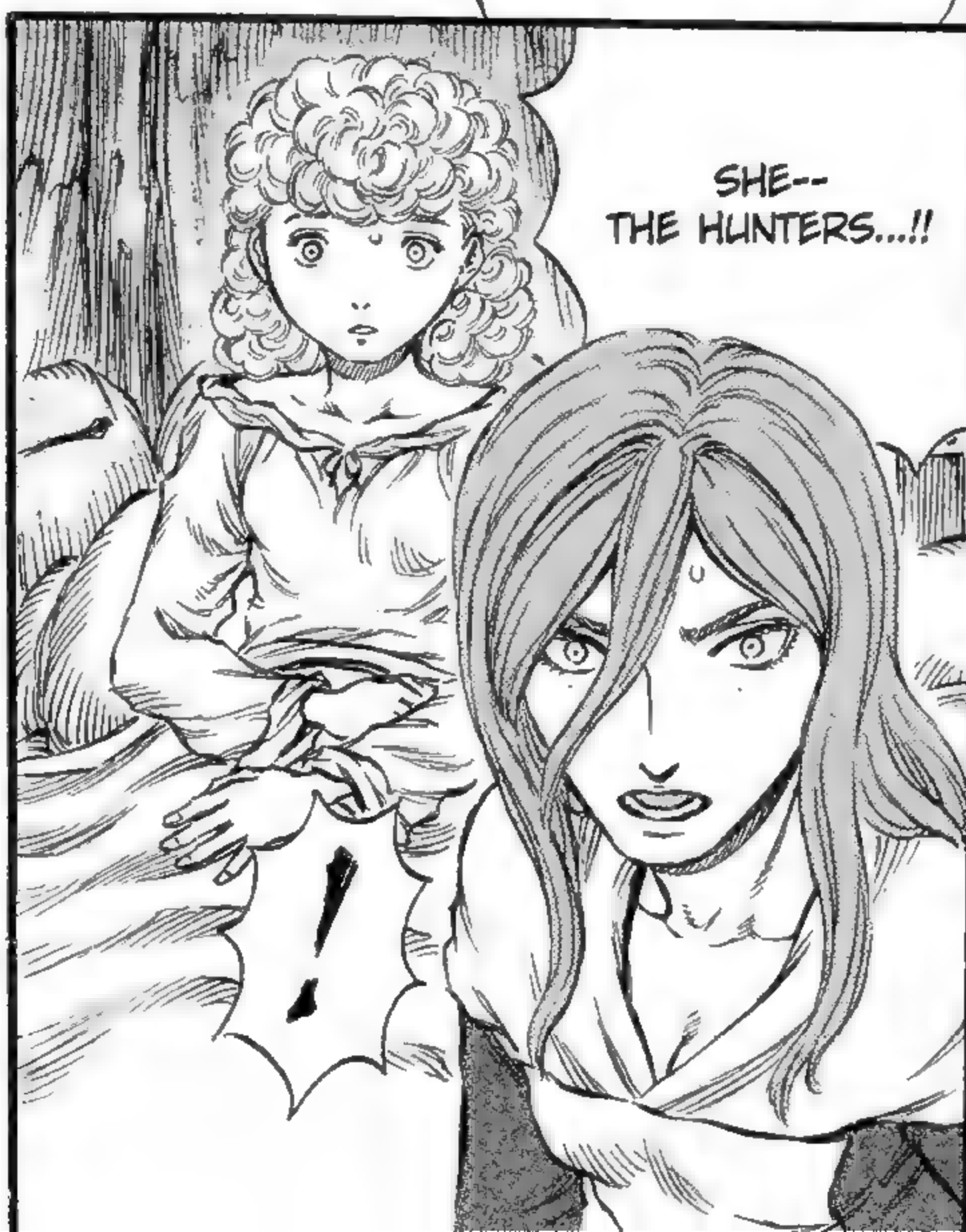
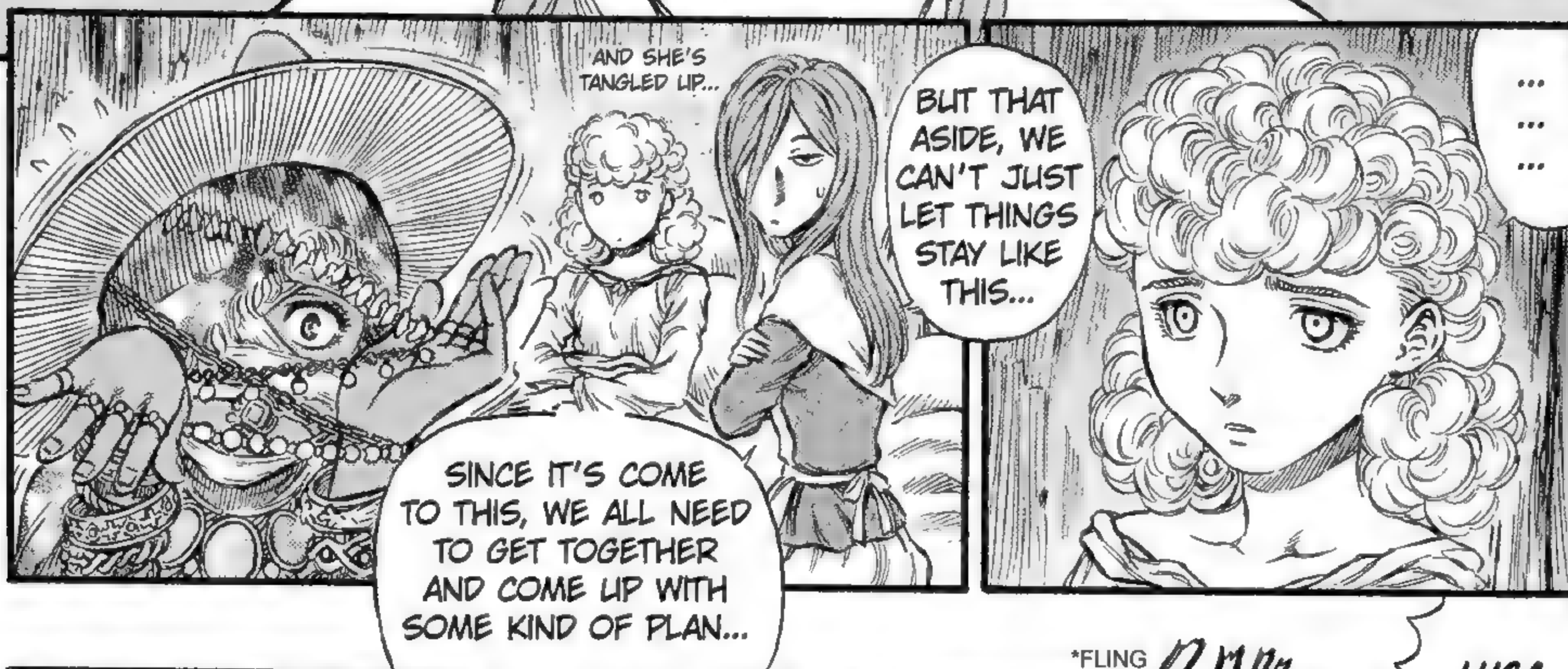
...EVEN
THOUGH
IT'S
CAUSED A
LOT OF
HARDSHIP.

THIS IS MY
WAY OF
HOLDING
MYSELF TO
IT AFTER
SAYING SO...

...AND
HAVING RUN
MY MOUTH
ABOUT US
SHARING
A COMMON
FATE,
I DON'T
CARE TO
TAKE IT
BACK.

...I'LL END
UP JUST
LIKE THOSE
I LOOKED
DOWN UPON.

IF I
LOSE MY
NERVE...





I HAVEN'T
DONE
ANYTHING!!

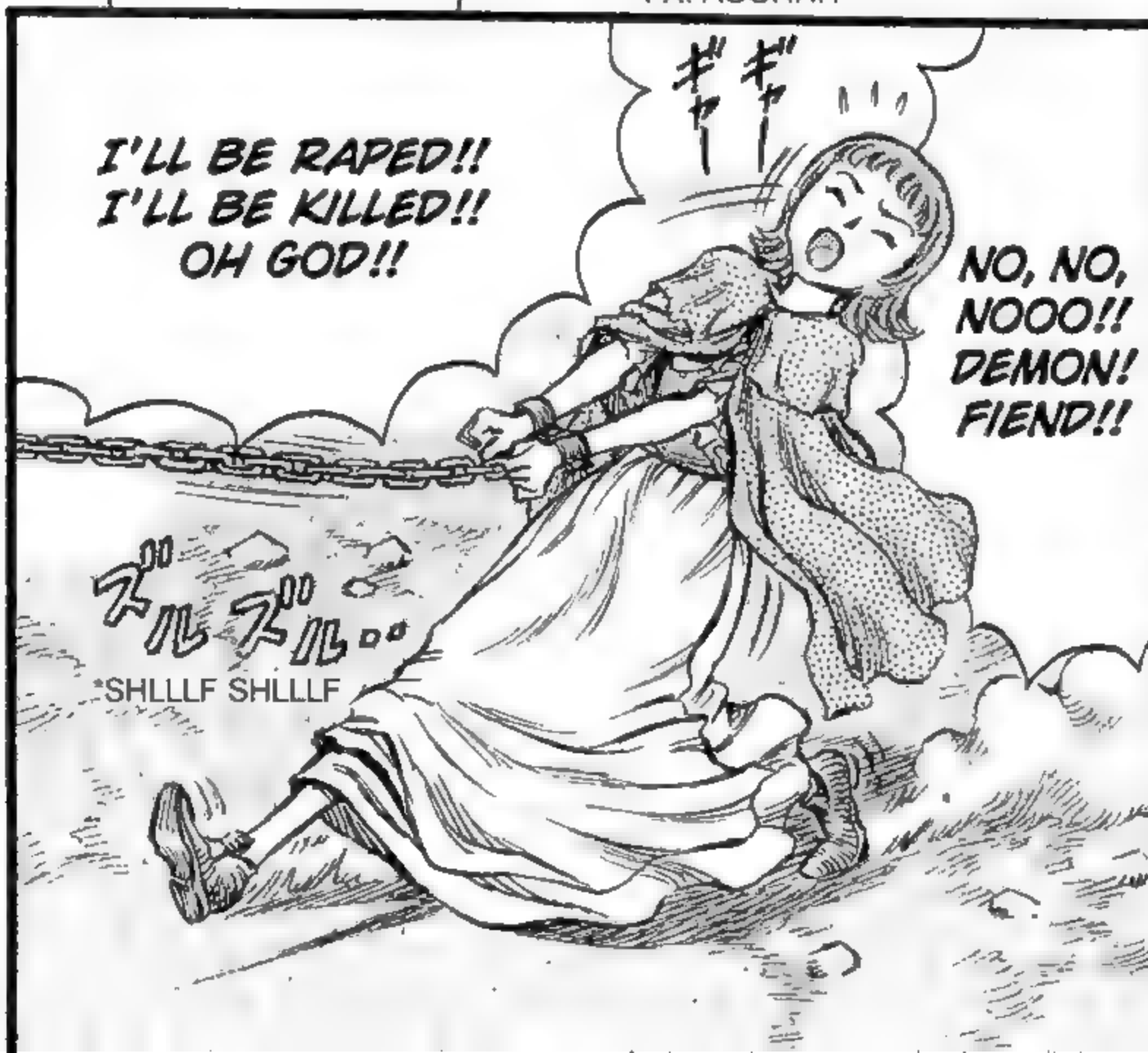
NOOO!
LET ME
GO!!



SHUT UP!!
THERE WAS AN
INDICTMENT!!

YOU CAN
SPEAK IN YOUR
DEFENSE ALL
YOU WANT AT
YOUR TRIAL!!

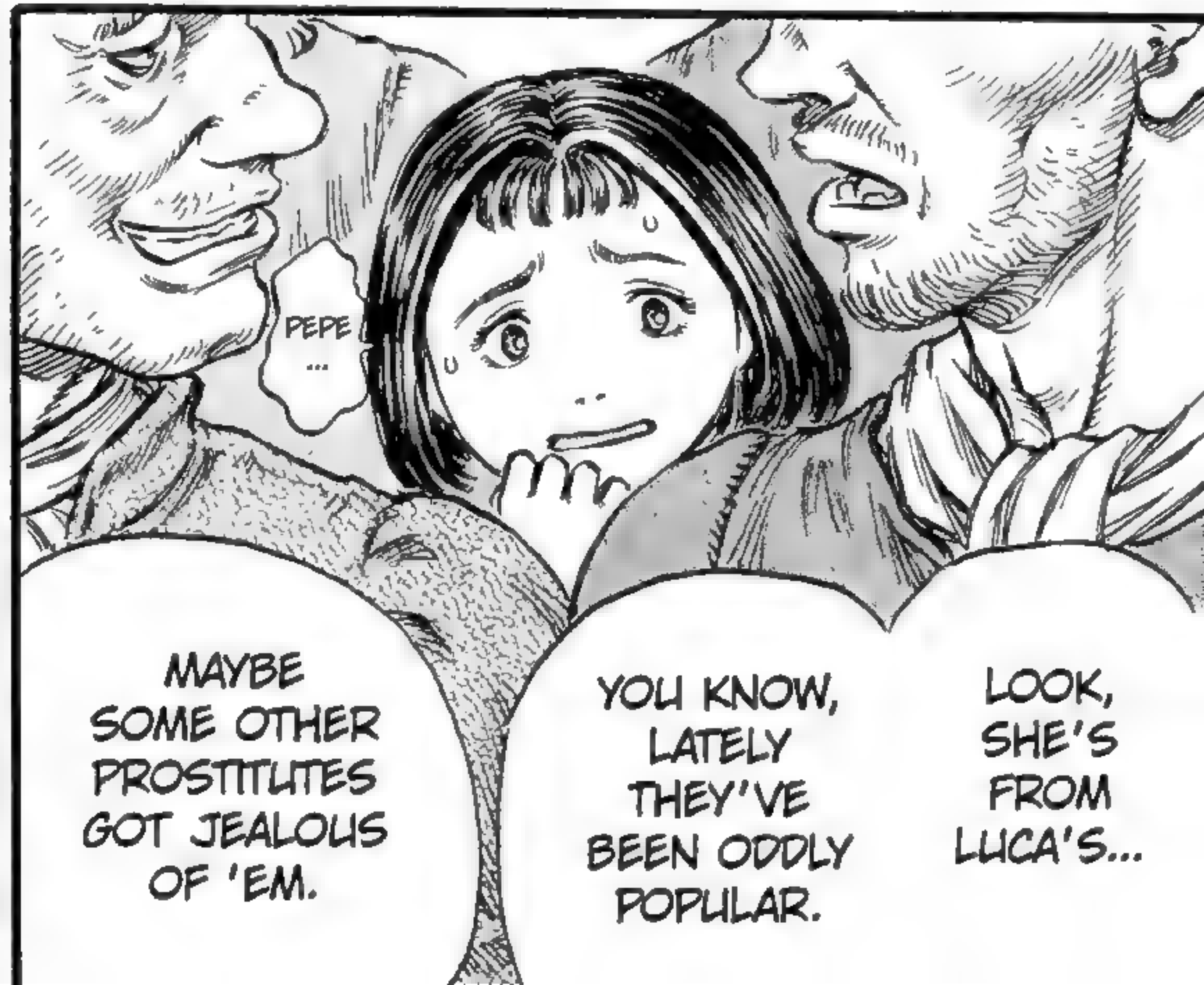
*FX: AGGHHH



I'LL BE RAPED!!
I'LL BE KILLED!!
OH GOD!!

NO, NO,
NOOO!!
DEMON!
FIEND!!

ズルズル...
*SHLLLF SHLLLF

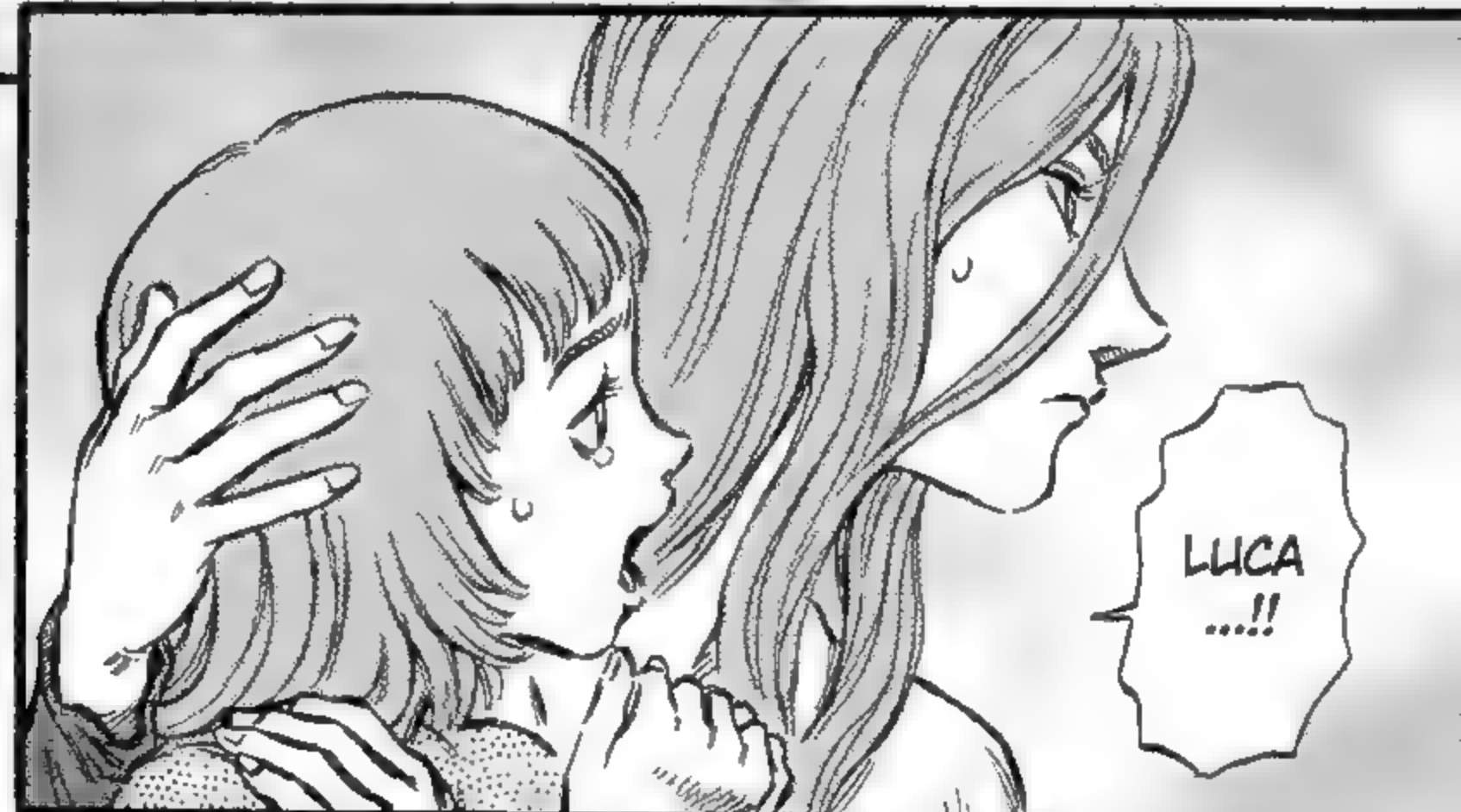
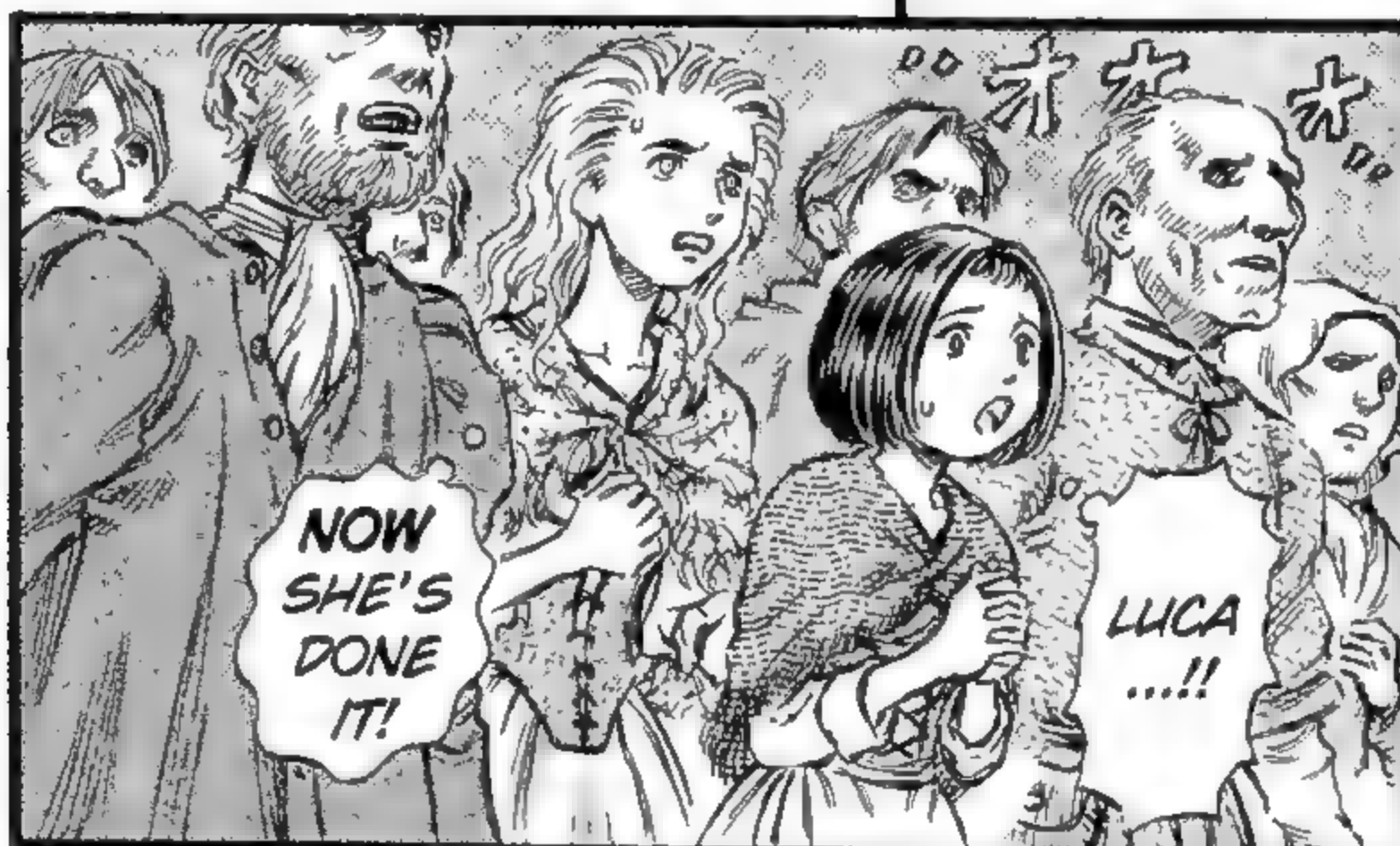


MAYBE
SOME OTHER
PROSTITUTES
GOT JEALOUS
OF 'EM.

YOU KNOW,
LATELY
THEY'VE
BEEN ODDLY
POPULAR.

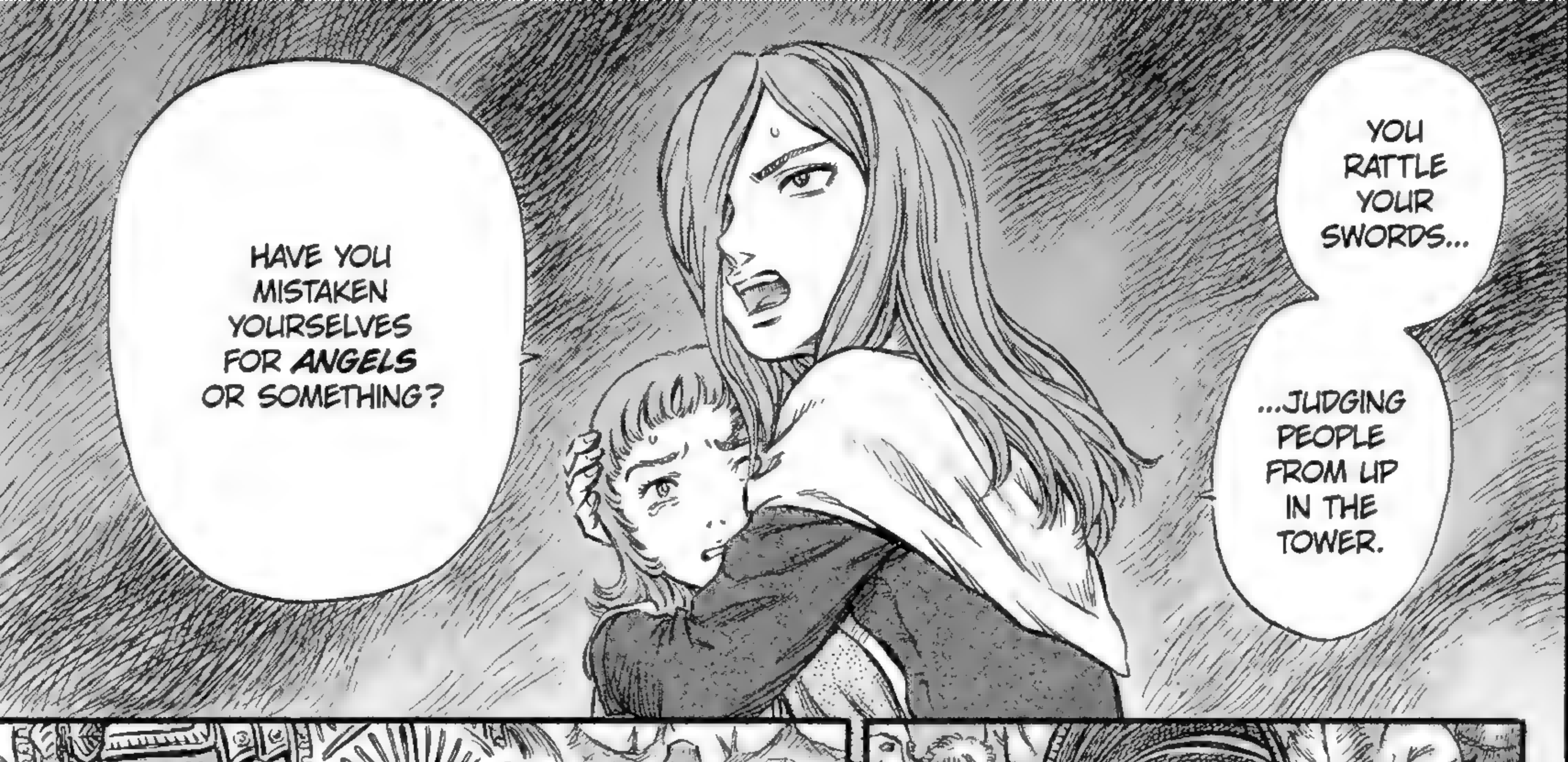
LOOK,
SHE'S
FROM
LUCA'S...





*FX: OHHH

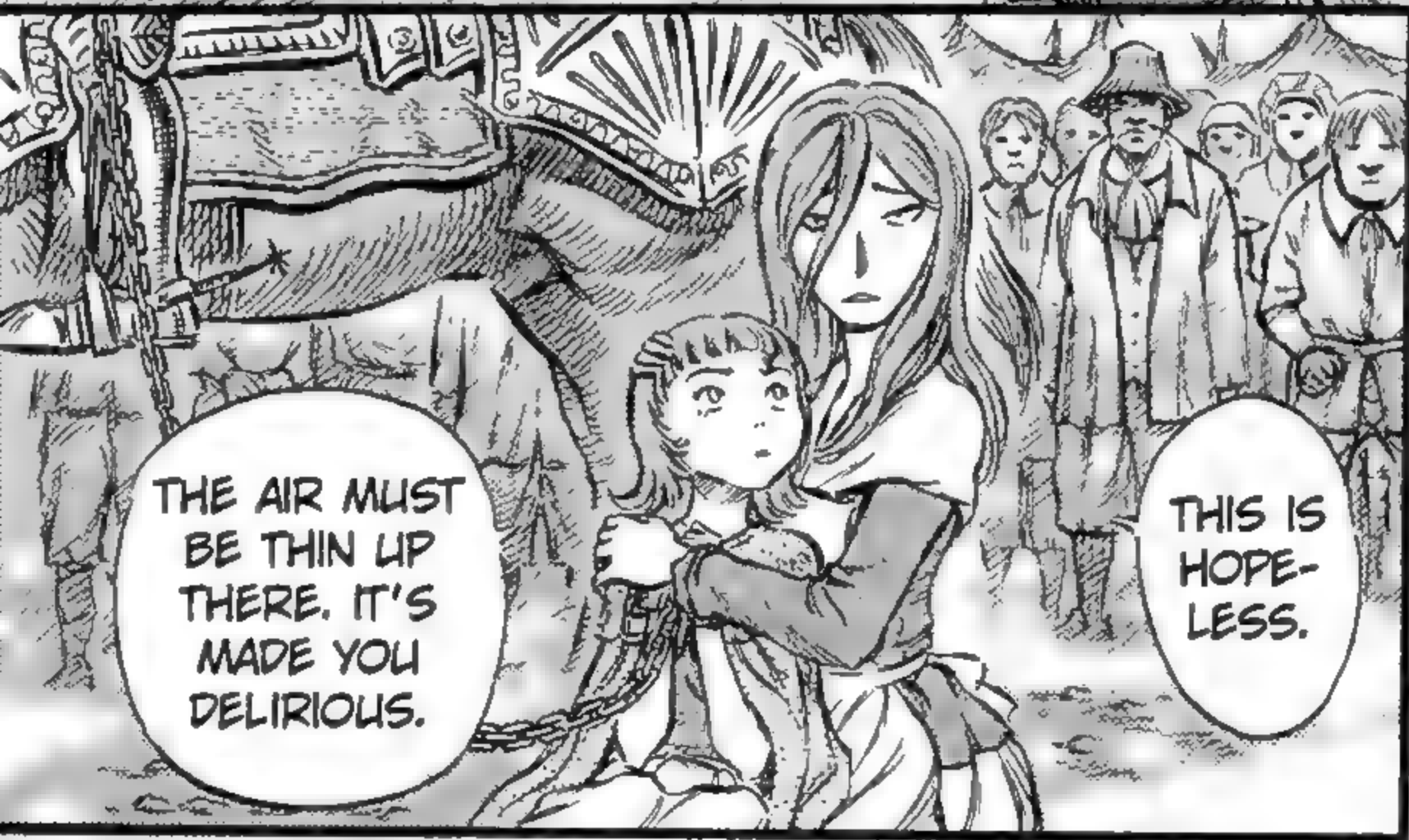




HAVE YOU
MISTAKEN
YOURSELVES
FOR *ANGELS*
OR SOMETHING?

YOU
RATTLE
YOUR
SWORDS...

...JUDGING
PEOPLE
FROM UP
IN THE
TOWER.



THE AIR MUST
BE THIN UP
THERE. IT'S
MADE YOU
DELIRIOUS.

THIS IS
HOPE-
LESS.



...GIRL?

IS THAT
ALL YOU
HAVE TO
SAY...



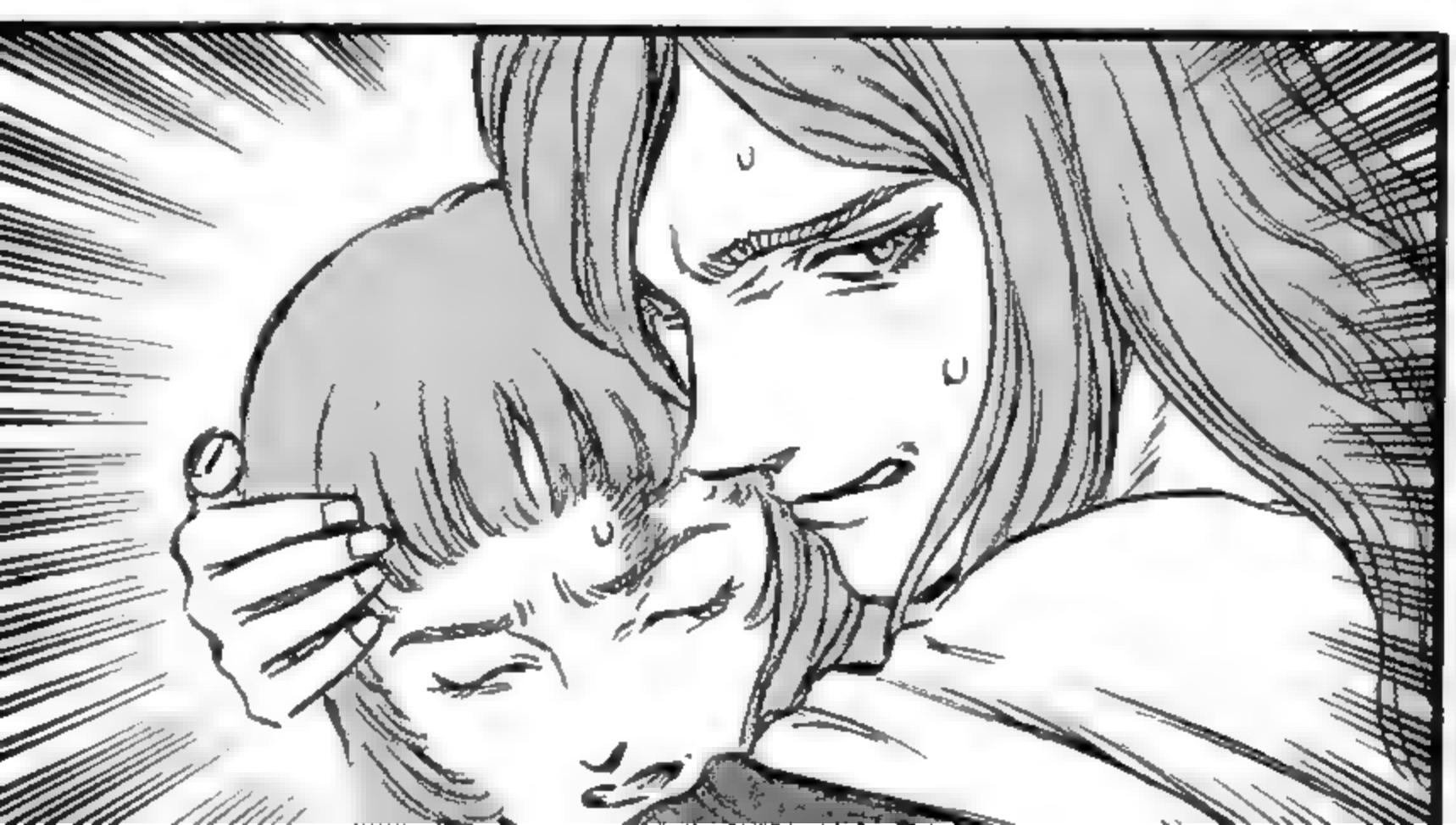
BITCH
...!!

*FX: SHPA



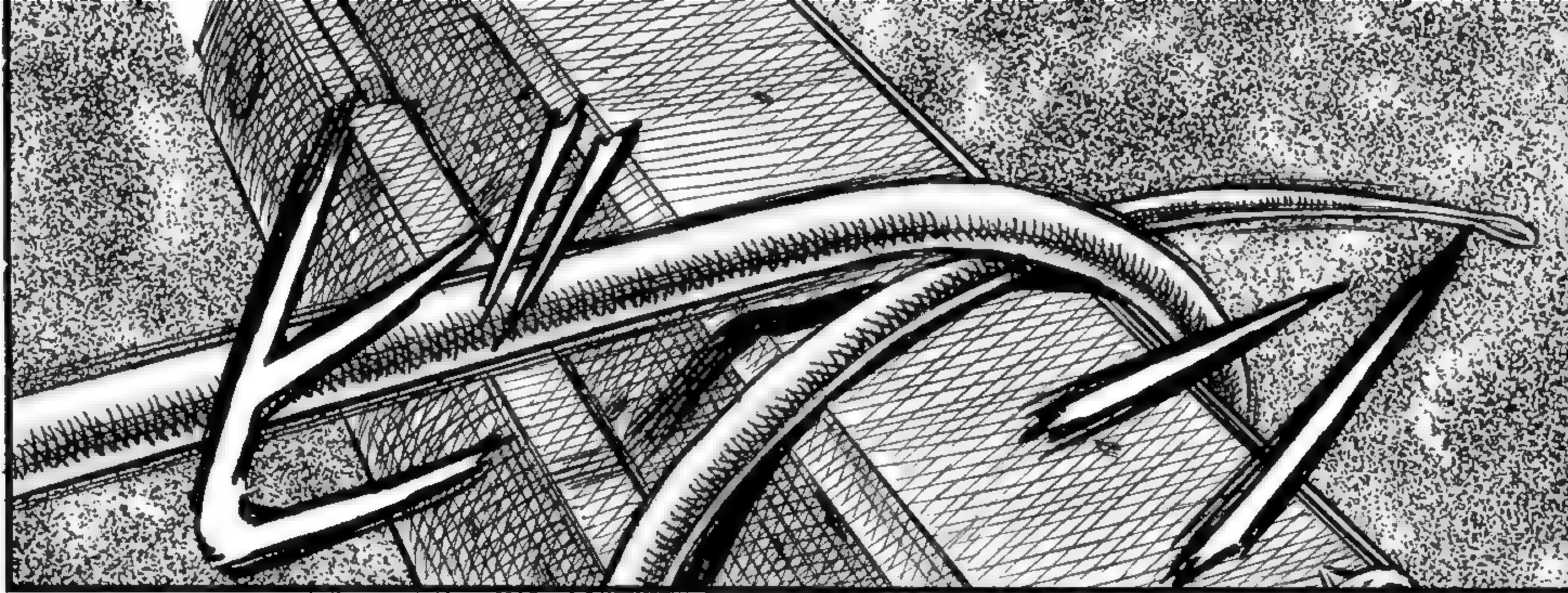
*FX: TWITCH TWITCH

*FX: WRING



LUCA!!

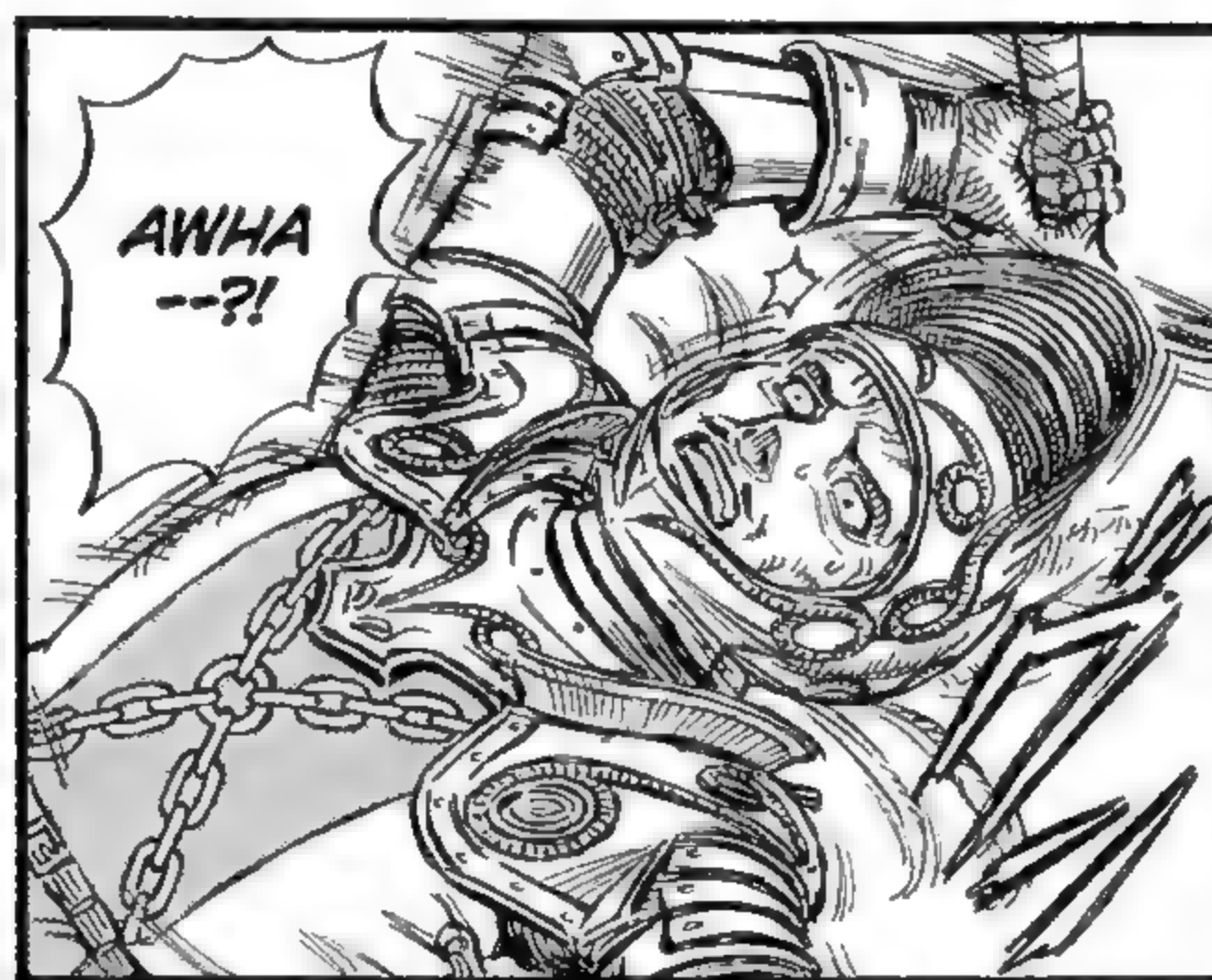
PEPE
...!!



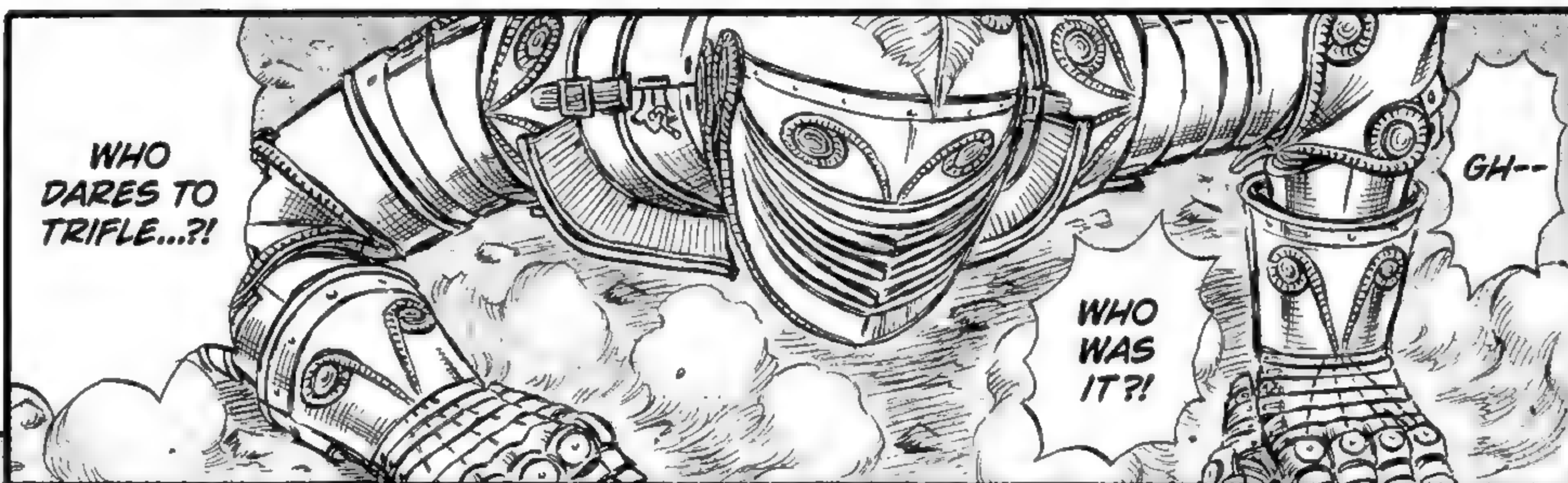
*FX: VMP



*GSHANNNG



*FX: YANK



WHO
DARES TO
TRIFLE...?!

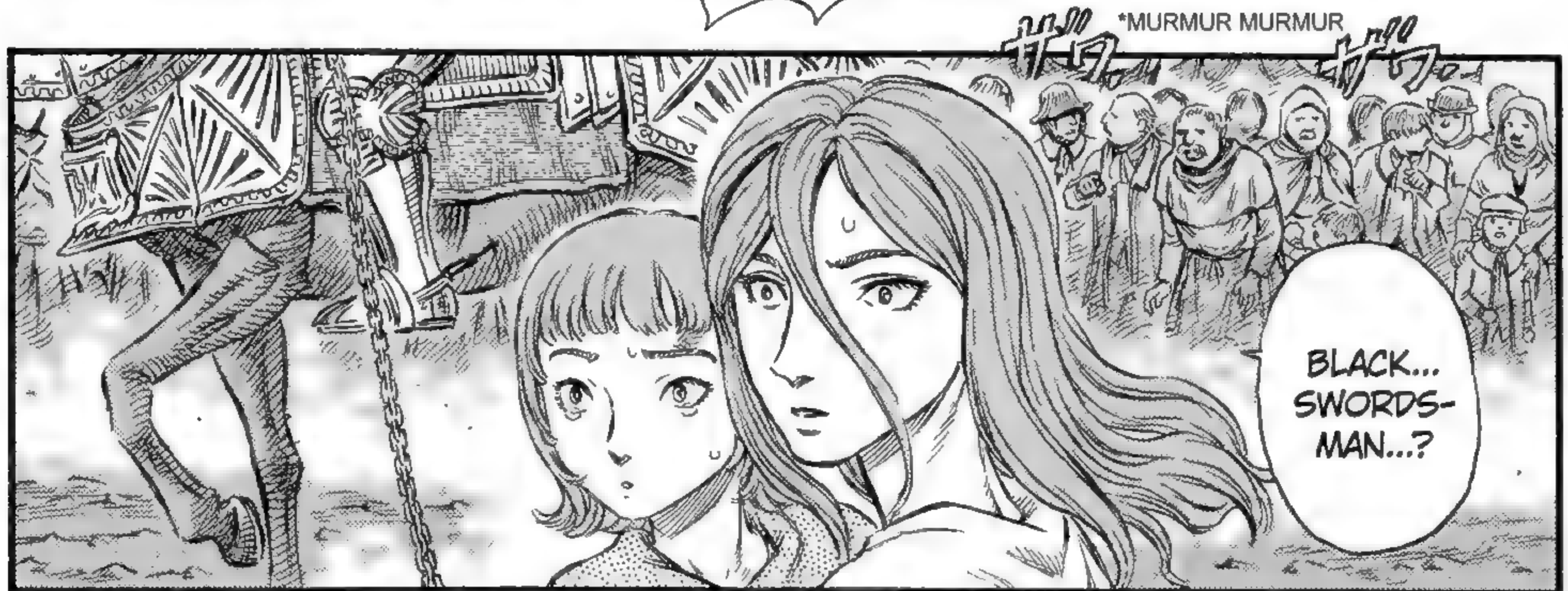
GH--

WHO
WAS
IT?!



*GCHAK





*FX: GCHAK





CAPTAIN !!

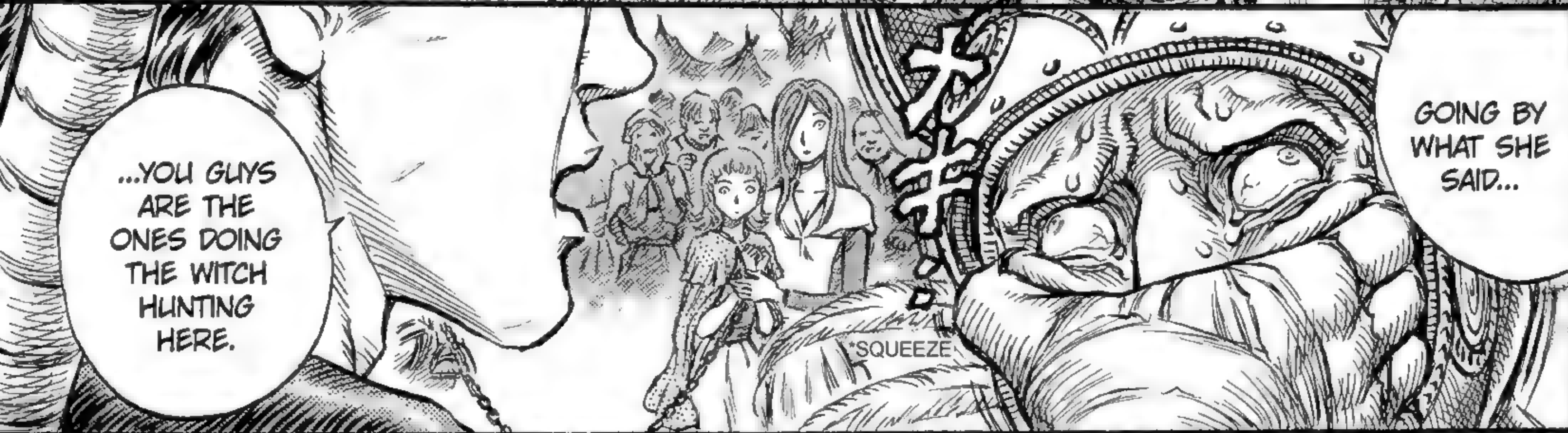
HN
NN!

*FX: SQUEEZE



GWA
H!!!

*YANK



...YOU GUYS
ARE THE
ONES DOING
THE WITCH
HUNTING
HERE.

GOING BY
WHAT SHE
SAID...

*SQUEEZE



AMONG ALL
THE PEOPLE
YOU'VE
ARRESTED...

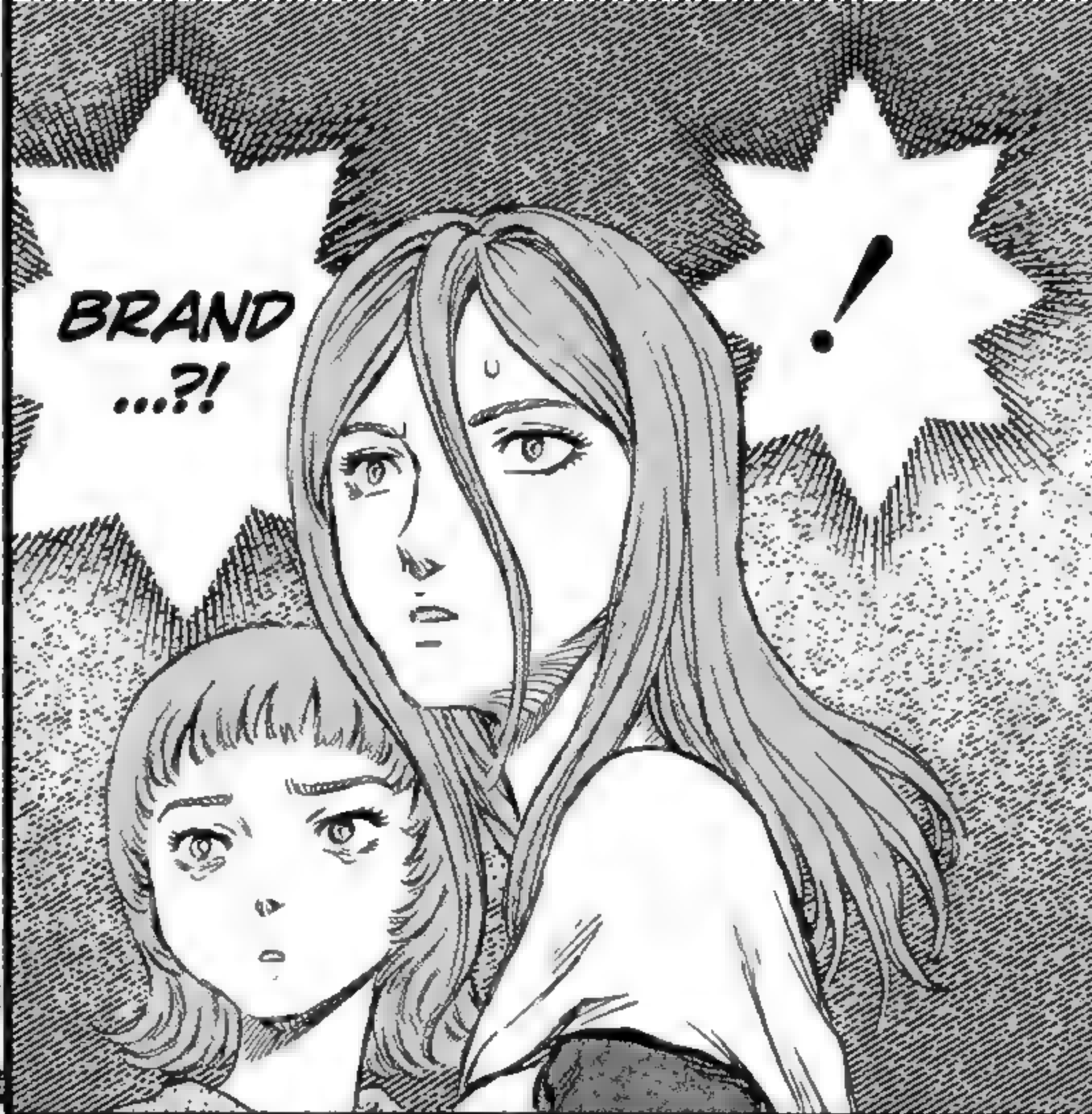
...WAS THERE
A WOMAN
WITH A
BRAND ON
HER CHEST?

ANSWER
ME.



I-I
DON'
GNOH
...

*FX: KRNK



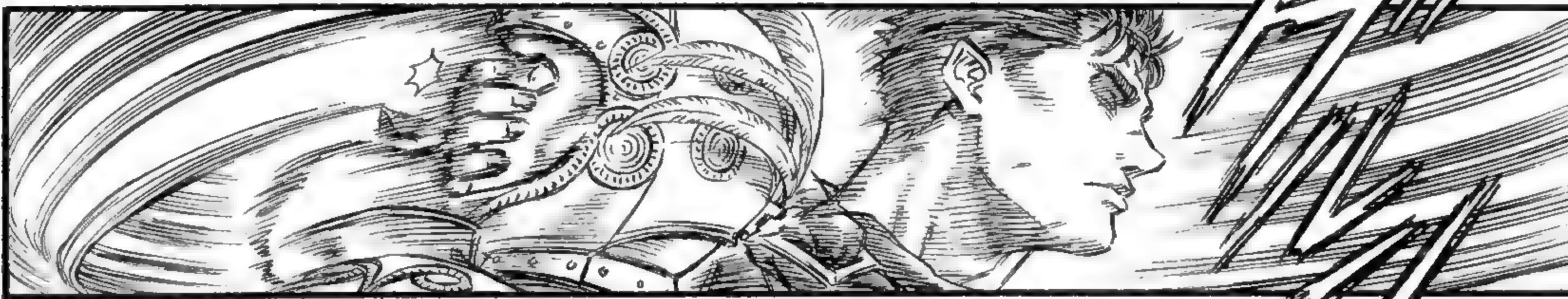
BRAND
...?!



*ROHHH

おおおお

*FX. BDADUMP BDADUMP



*HEAVE

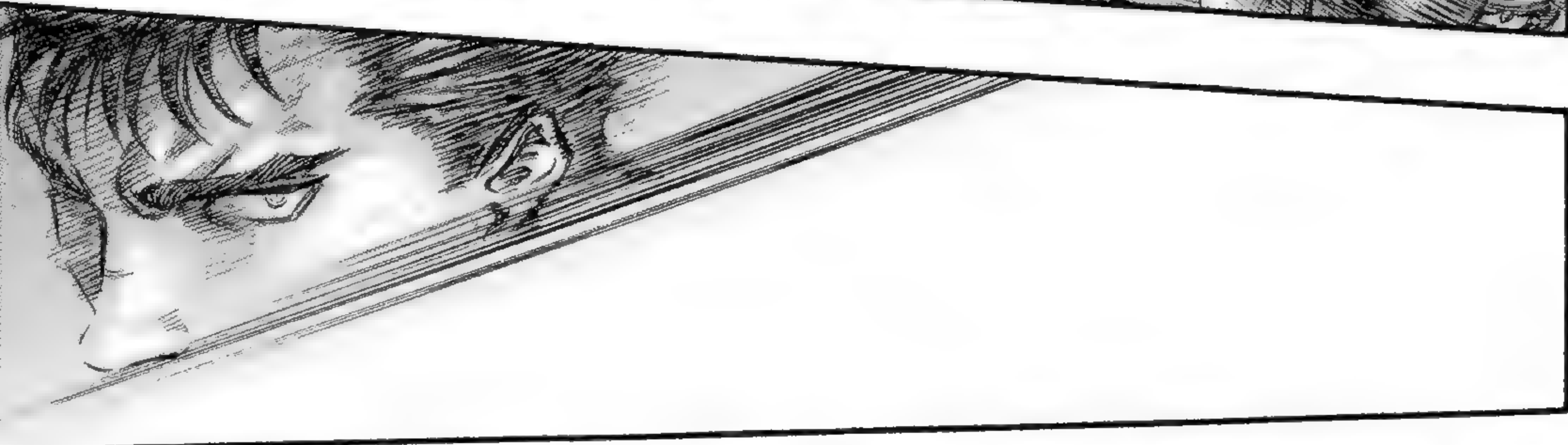
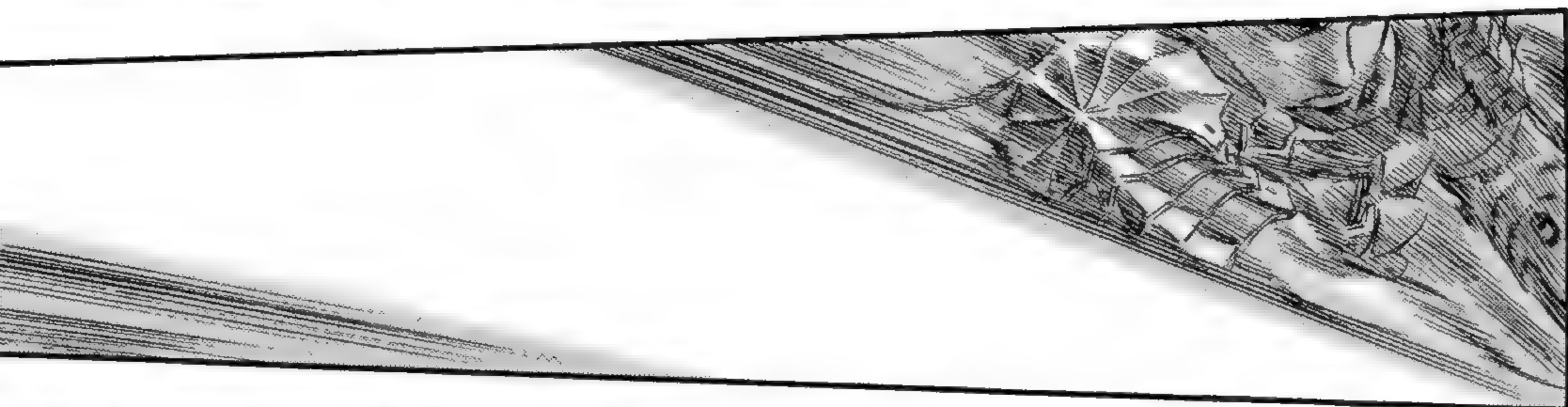


*GSHINNG



SCUM!!

*DMDMDMDMDMDM







AMA-ZIN'!!

AMA-ZING.

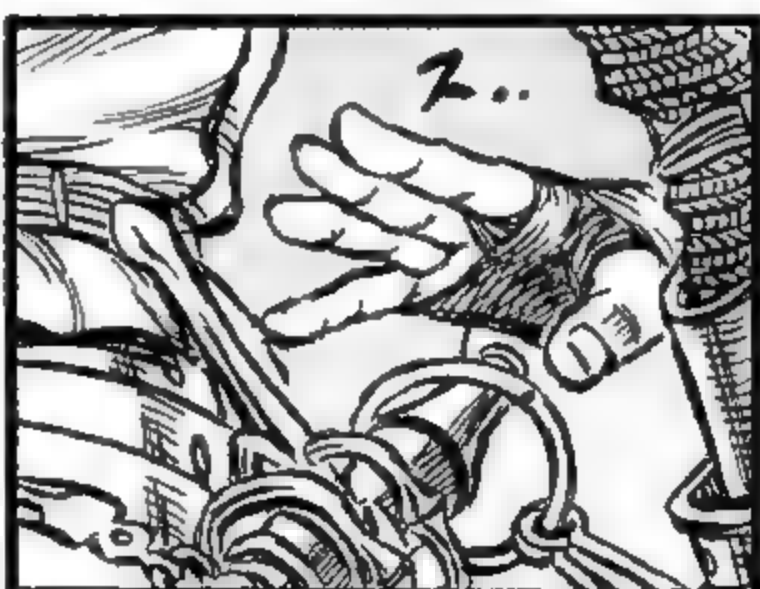
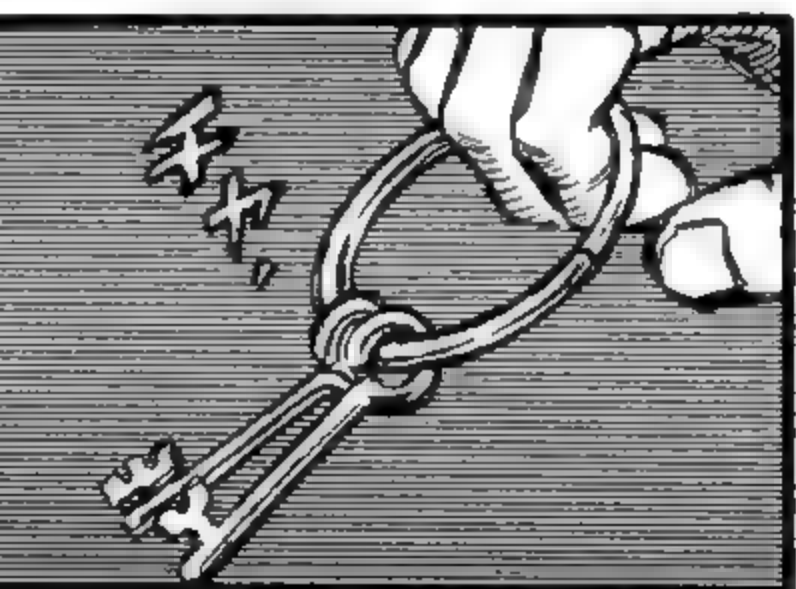
A...

H-HORSES AND MEN, RIGHT IN HALF....!!

*FX: CHAK

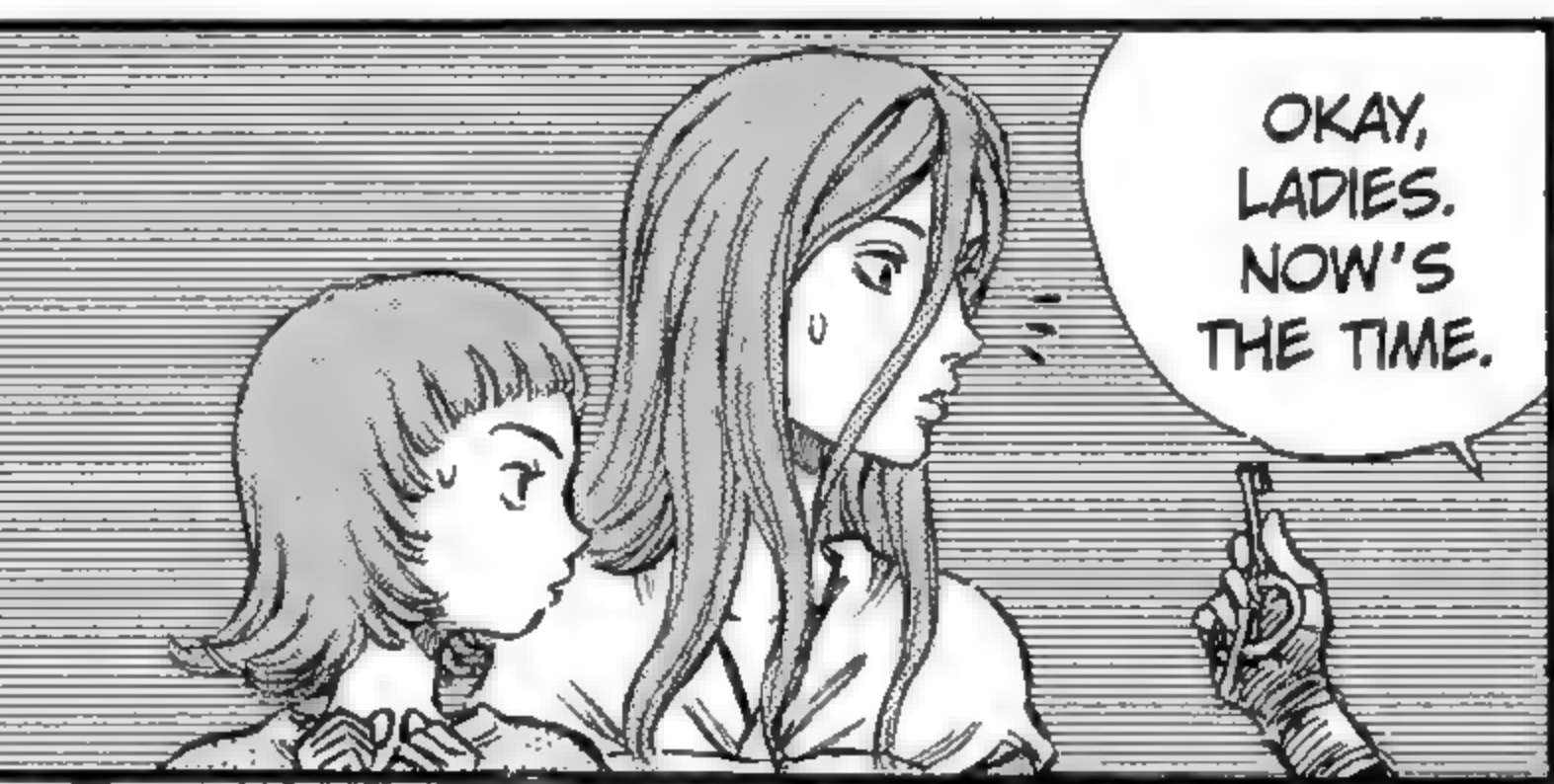
*FX: REACH

*FX: WOHHHH

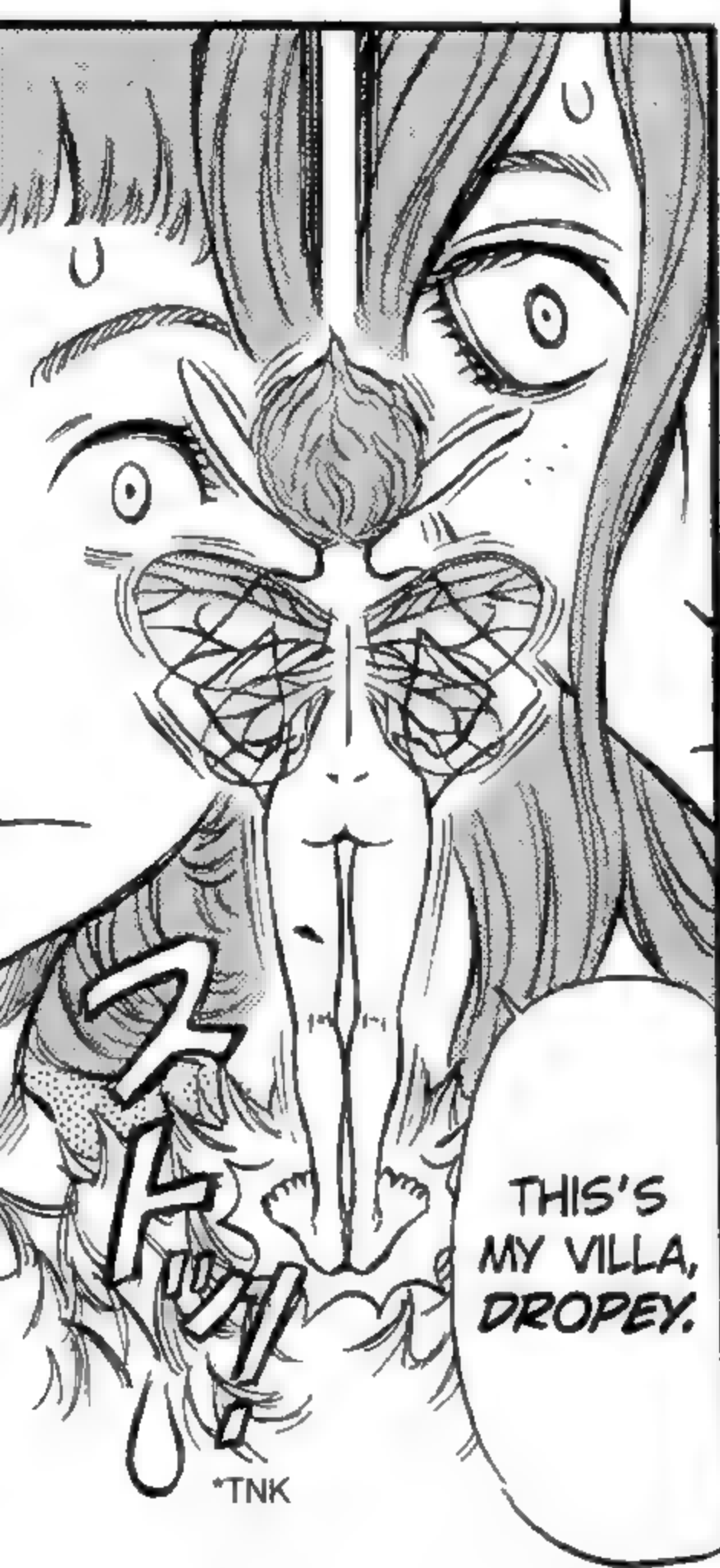


SURROUND AND RESTRAIN HIM!!

D-DON'T FALTER!!



OKAY, LADIES. NOW'S THE TIME.



THIS'S MY VILLA, DROPEY.

*TNK



I THINK I'M IN LO-O-O-VE.

THE WAY YOU LIT INTO THAT GLY WAS SO COOL.

EHEHEH...

WHO'S THE MONKEY ?

THAT ONE IN A
FRENZY'S MY
MAIN PAD,
FORTRESS OF
IRON GLTS.

I SHOULD
SAID THIS FIRST,
BUT I'M PUCK,
OWNER OF
THEM BOTH.

WHADDA
YA MEAN,
"DROPEY"?
AND WHO SAID
YOU LIVED HERE?

SHHT
しゅた

I CAN
SEE IT...
SOME-
THING
WEIRD...

IT LOOKS
MORE LIKE
A DUMP
TO ME.

WHAT
A SICK
JOKE.

THIS
IS HOLY
GROUND?



CASCA
...!!

**SHE'S HERE
SOMEWHERE**

...

CONVICTION ARC
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BIRTH CEREMONY
CHAPTER**

STRAYING

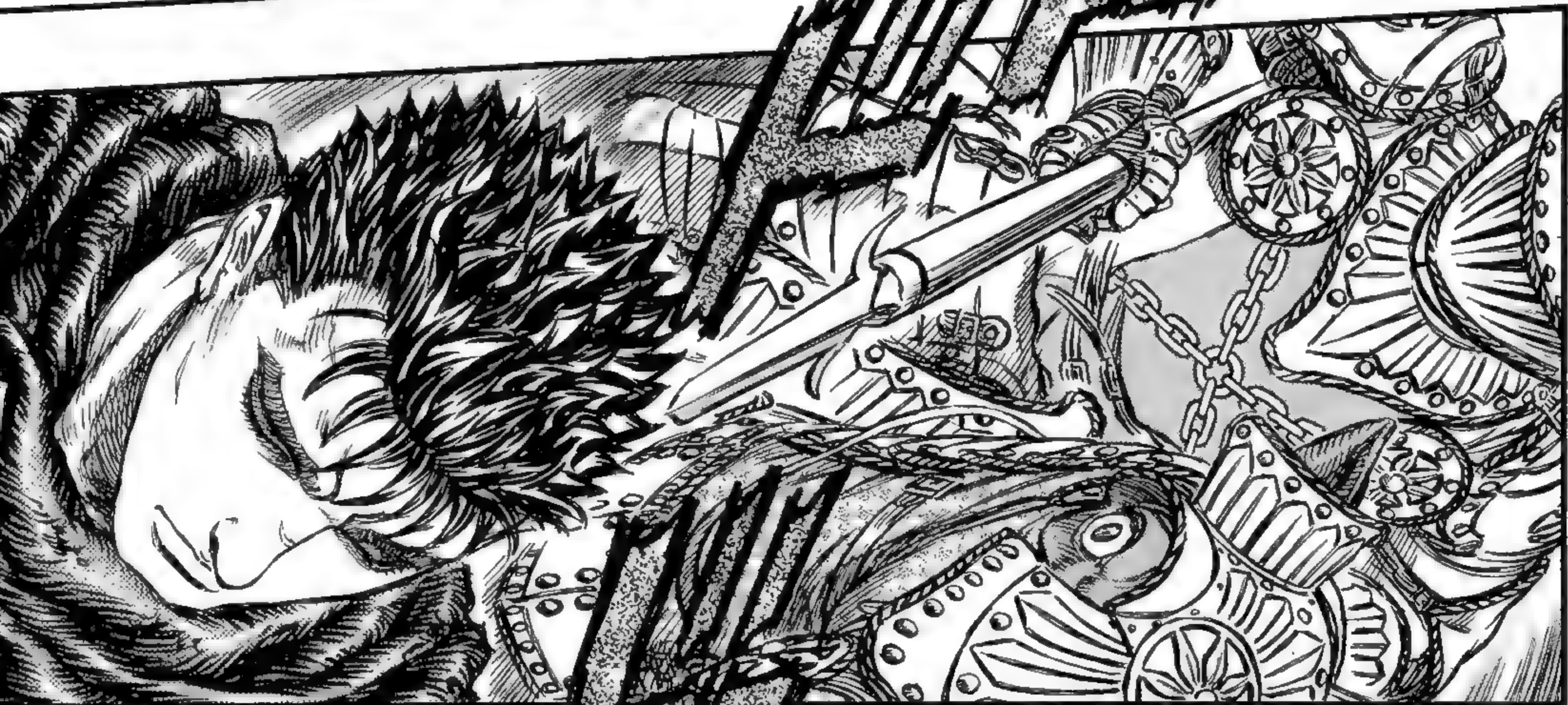
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*DMDMDMDM



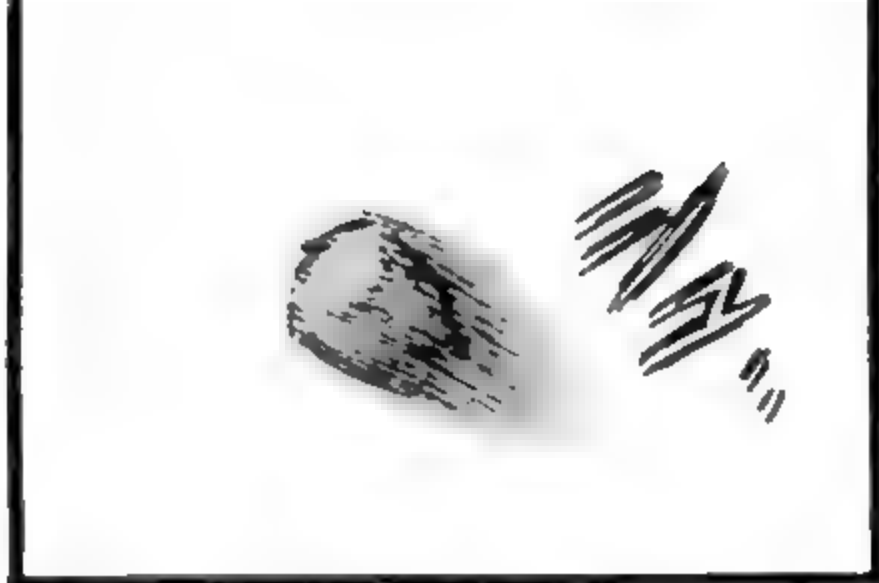
*DM

*WHOM



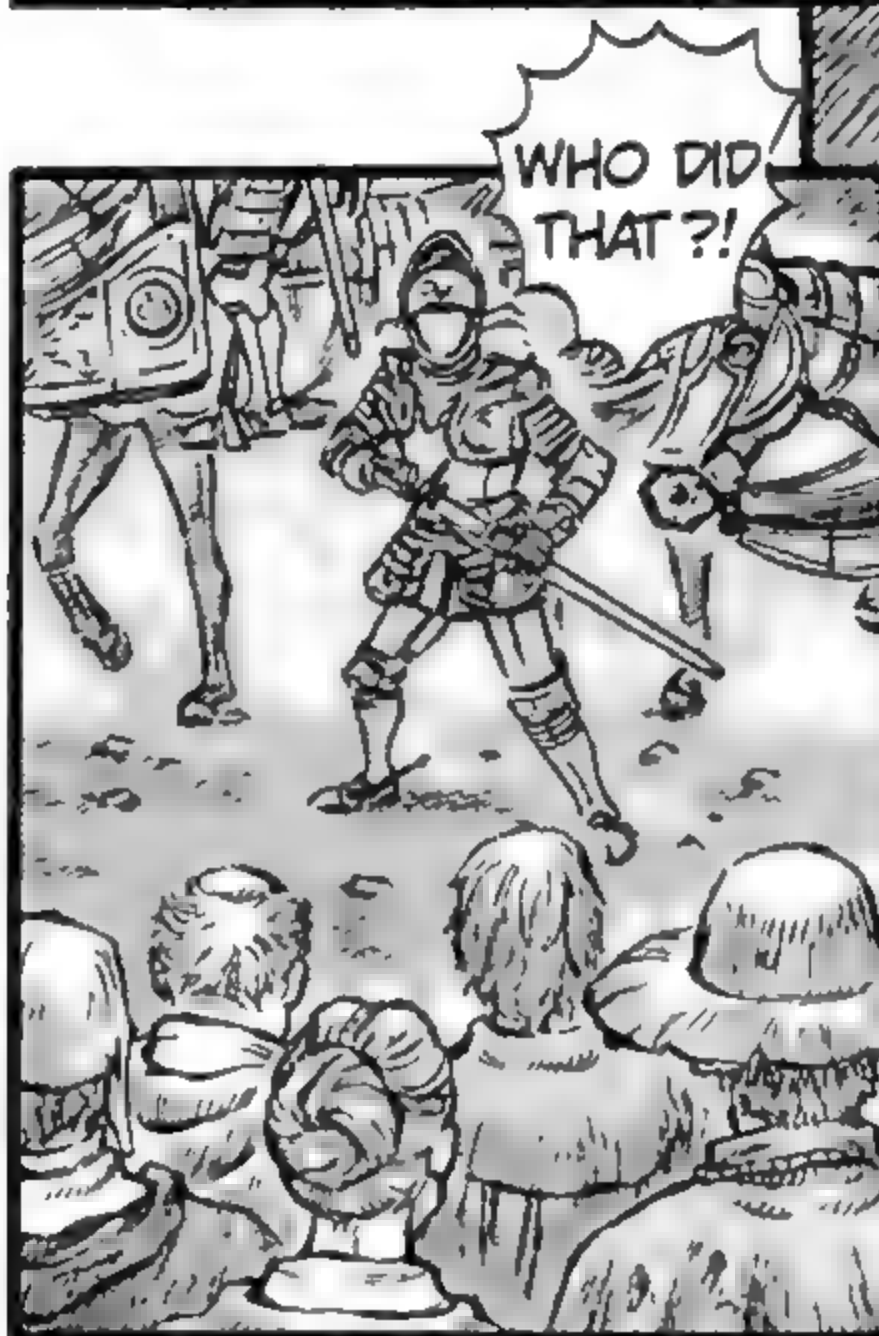




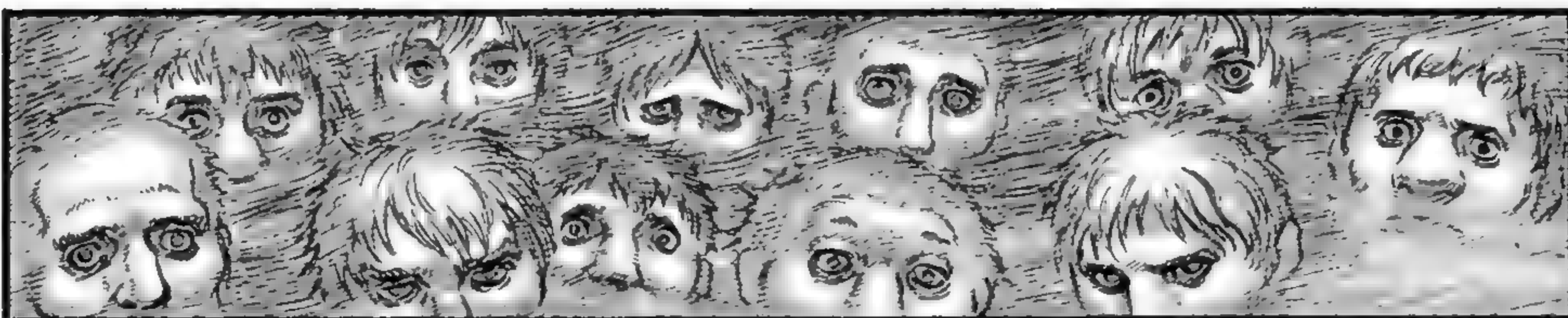


FX SHMM

FX CLANG



HE'S A
MONSTER...!!



*GULP

...



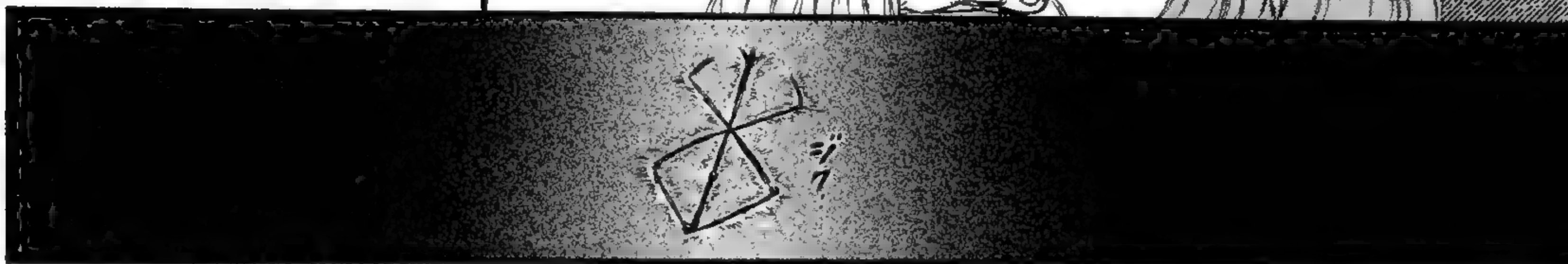


YOU KNOW
ABOUT
HER?!

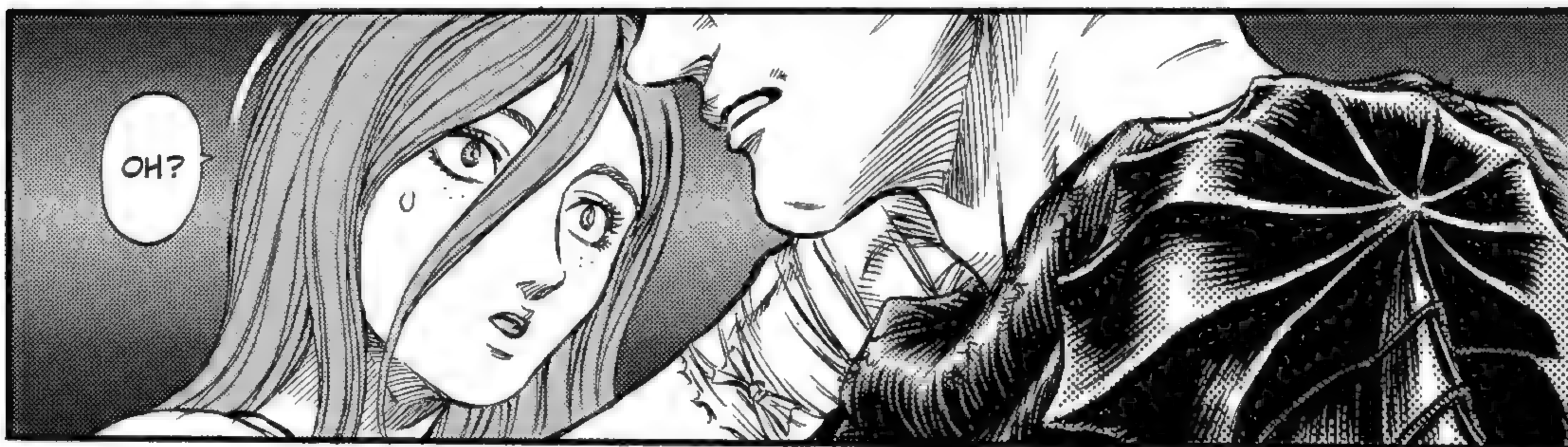
F-FIRST
LET ME
THANK--

THAT'S
NOT
IMPORTANT
...!!

HEY,
GUTS,
TONE IT
DOWN.



*FX: OOZE



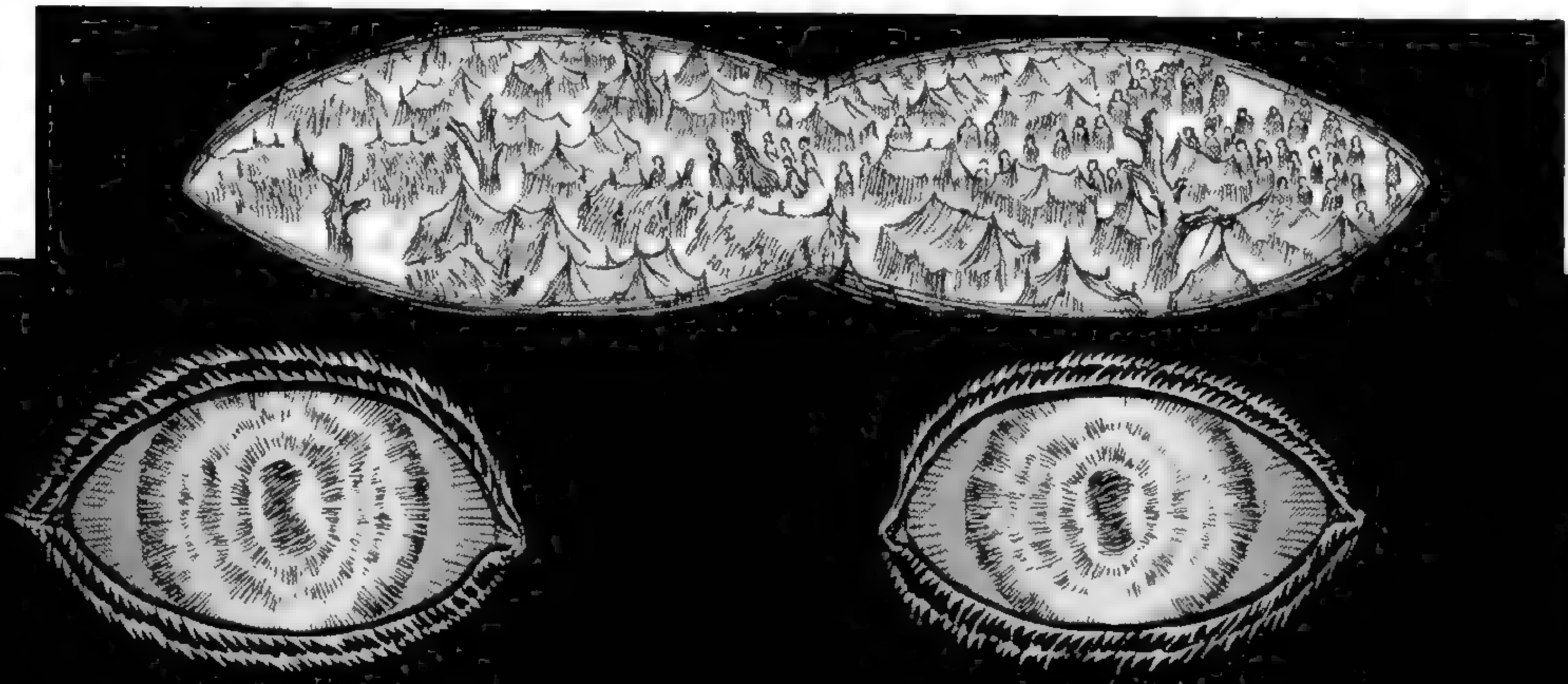
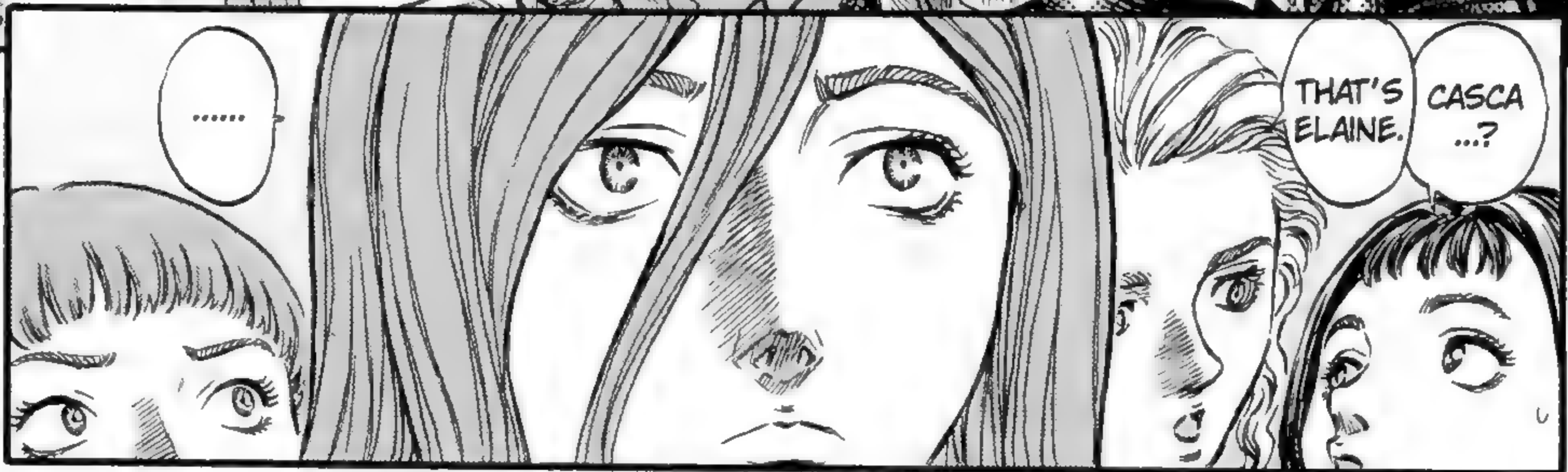
OH?



YOU
HAVE
WHAT...

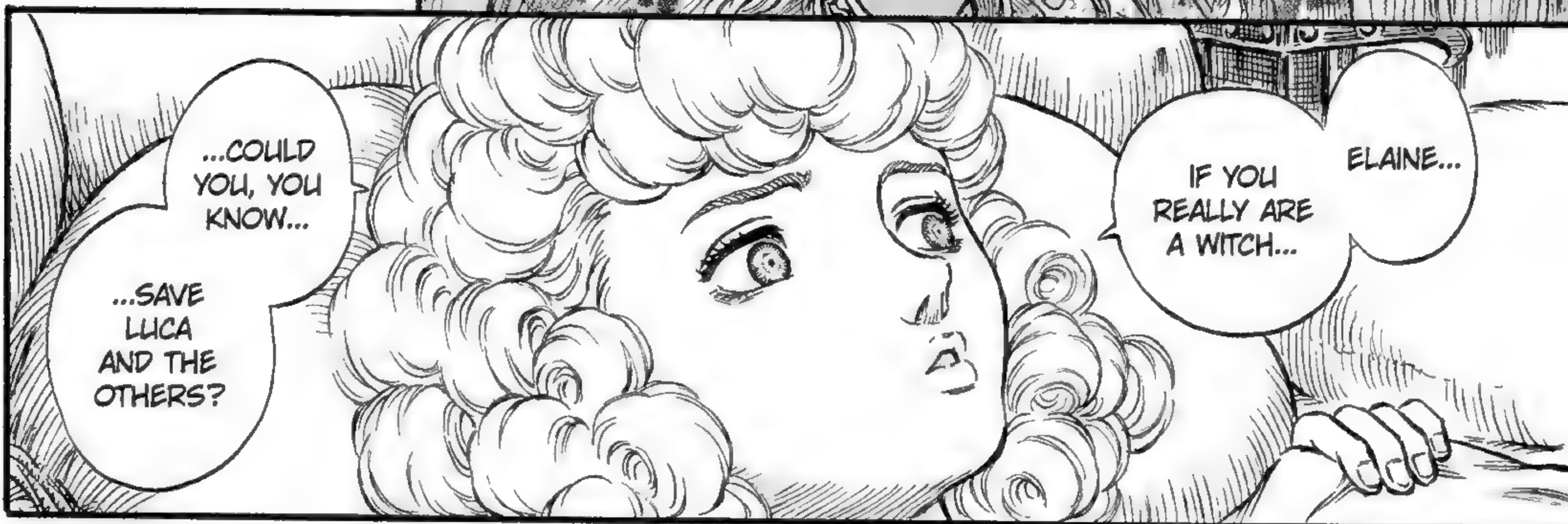
...OUR
ELAINE
HAS.

IT'S THE
SAME.





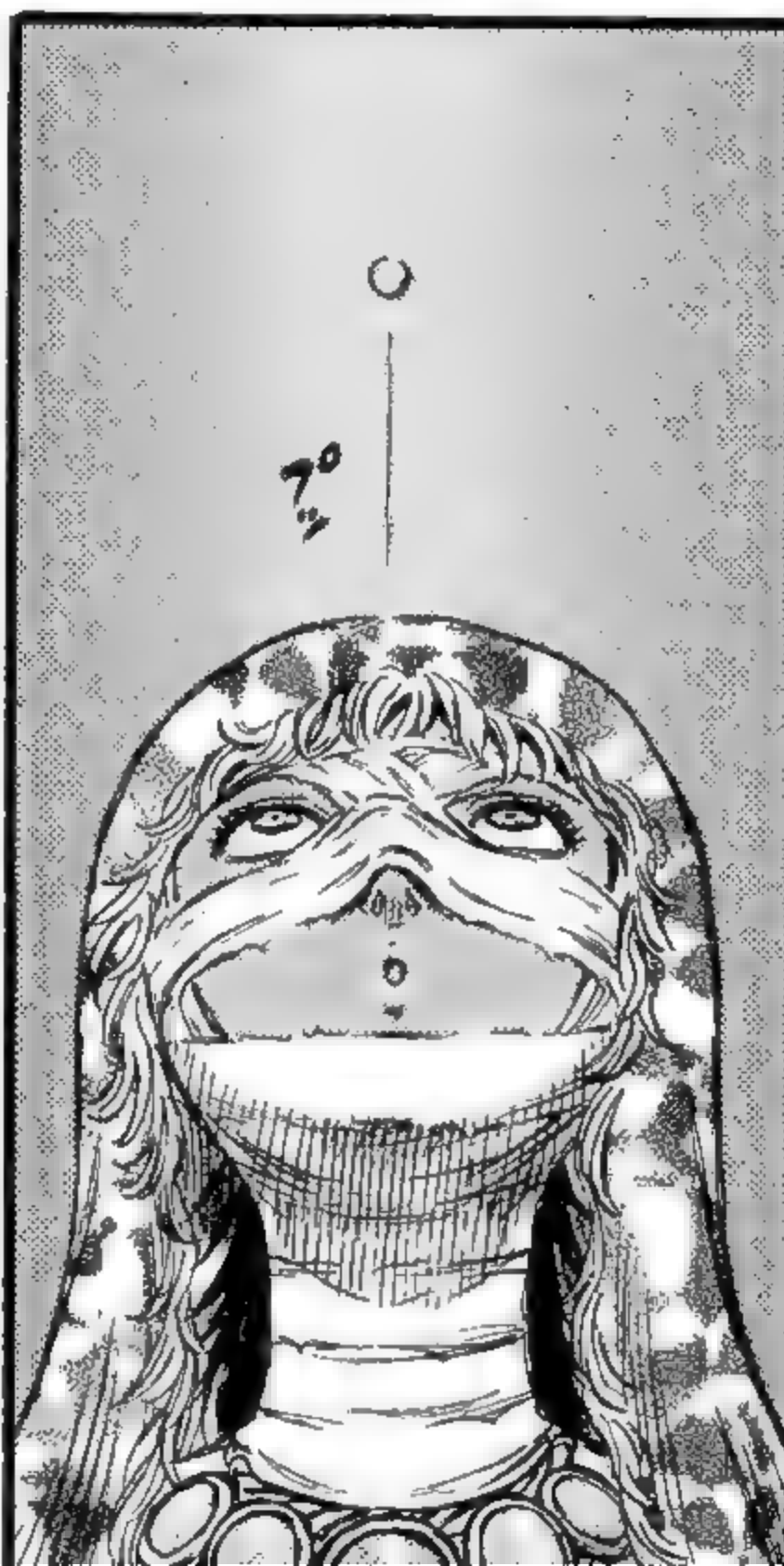
FX PLOOP

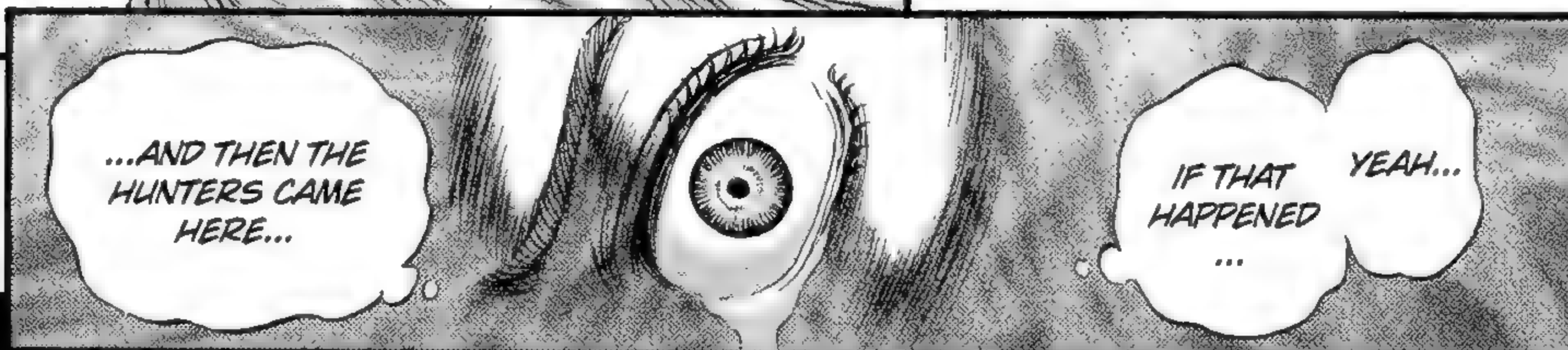


*FX: PLOOP



*FX: KRNCH KRNCH







*FX: GUHUUH GUHUUH

*FX: PAT



IF I DON'T
GET AWAY
FROM HERE
...I'LL QUICK...

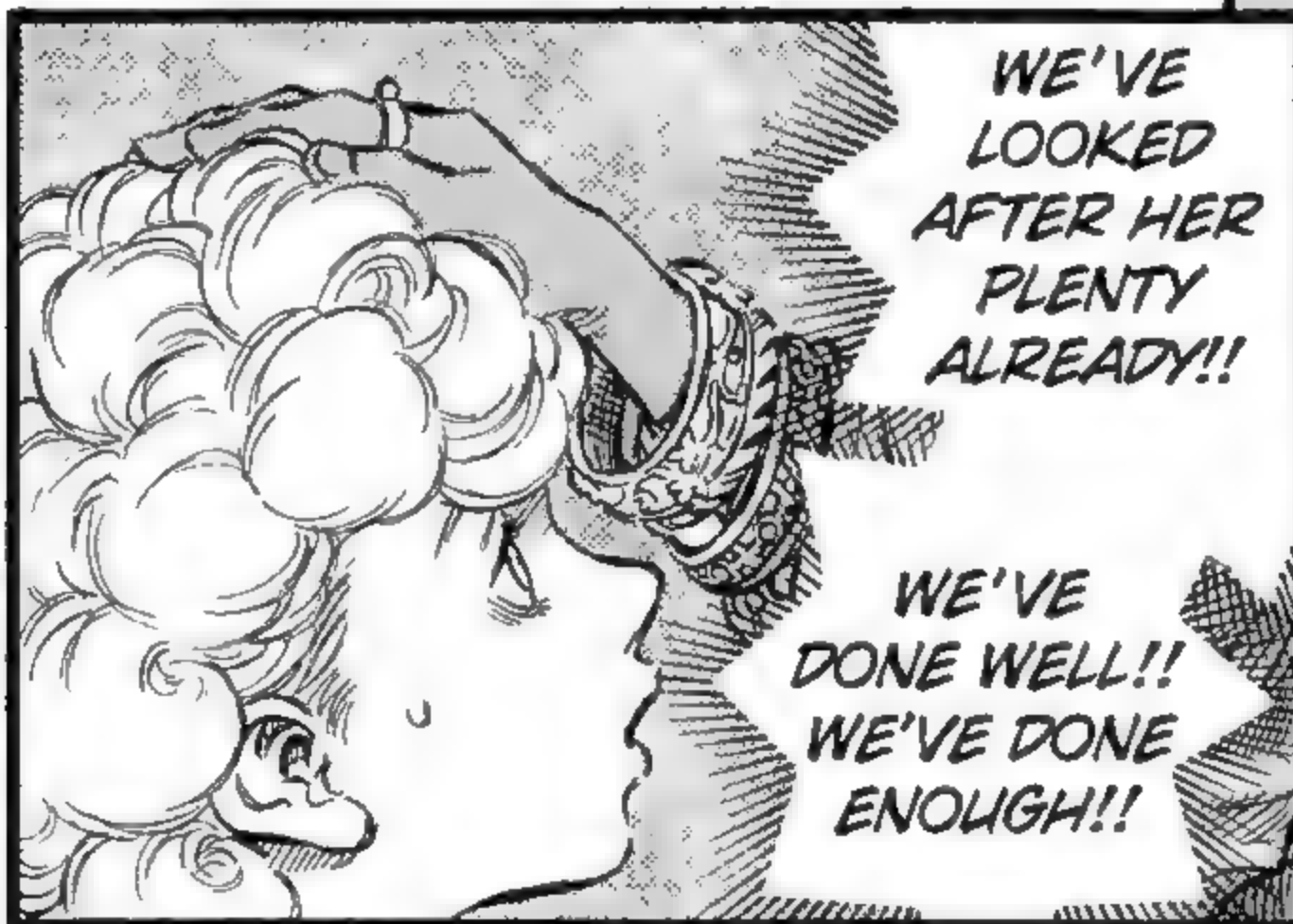
*HAHH
HAHH



ポフ



LET'S
DITCH
HER.



WE'VE
LOOKED
AFTER HER
PLENTY
ALREADY!!

WE'VE
DONE WELL!!
WE'VE DONE
ENOUGH!!

*FX: POF POF



DAAA
U?

ELAINE
...

*RUFFLE

フワ フワ



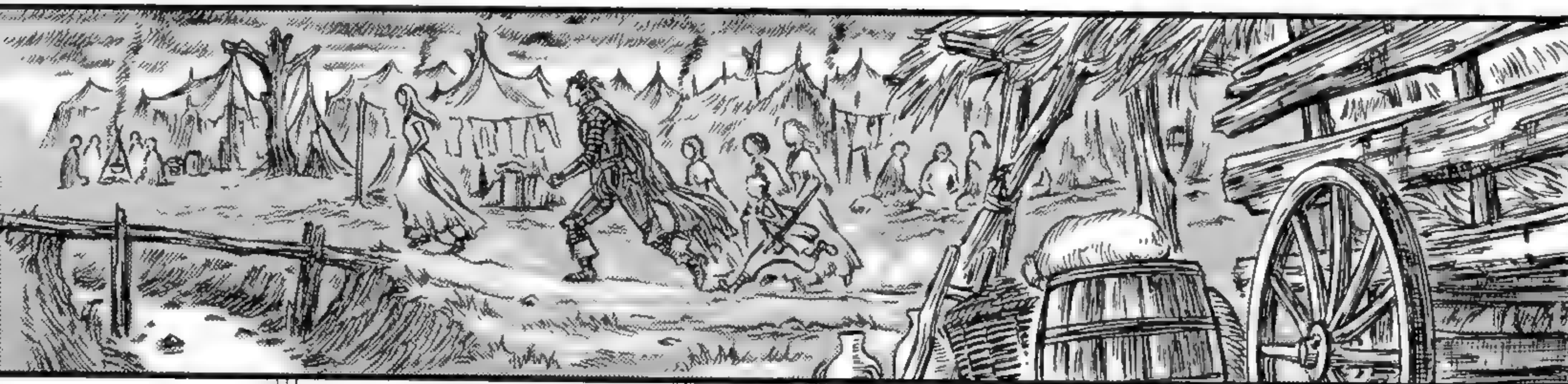
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.....



ハーン...

*WEEP



BROKEN AND
HALTED...

IT FEELS LIKE
DECADES
HAVE PASSED
SINCE THEN.

I
MIGHT...

I MIGHT
BE EVEN
MORE
THREATENING...

...LIKE
LAST TIME?

ARE YOU
STILL THE
WAY YOU
WERE?

...TO YOU
NOW THAN I
WAS THEN.





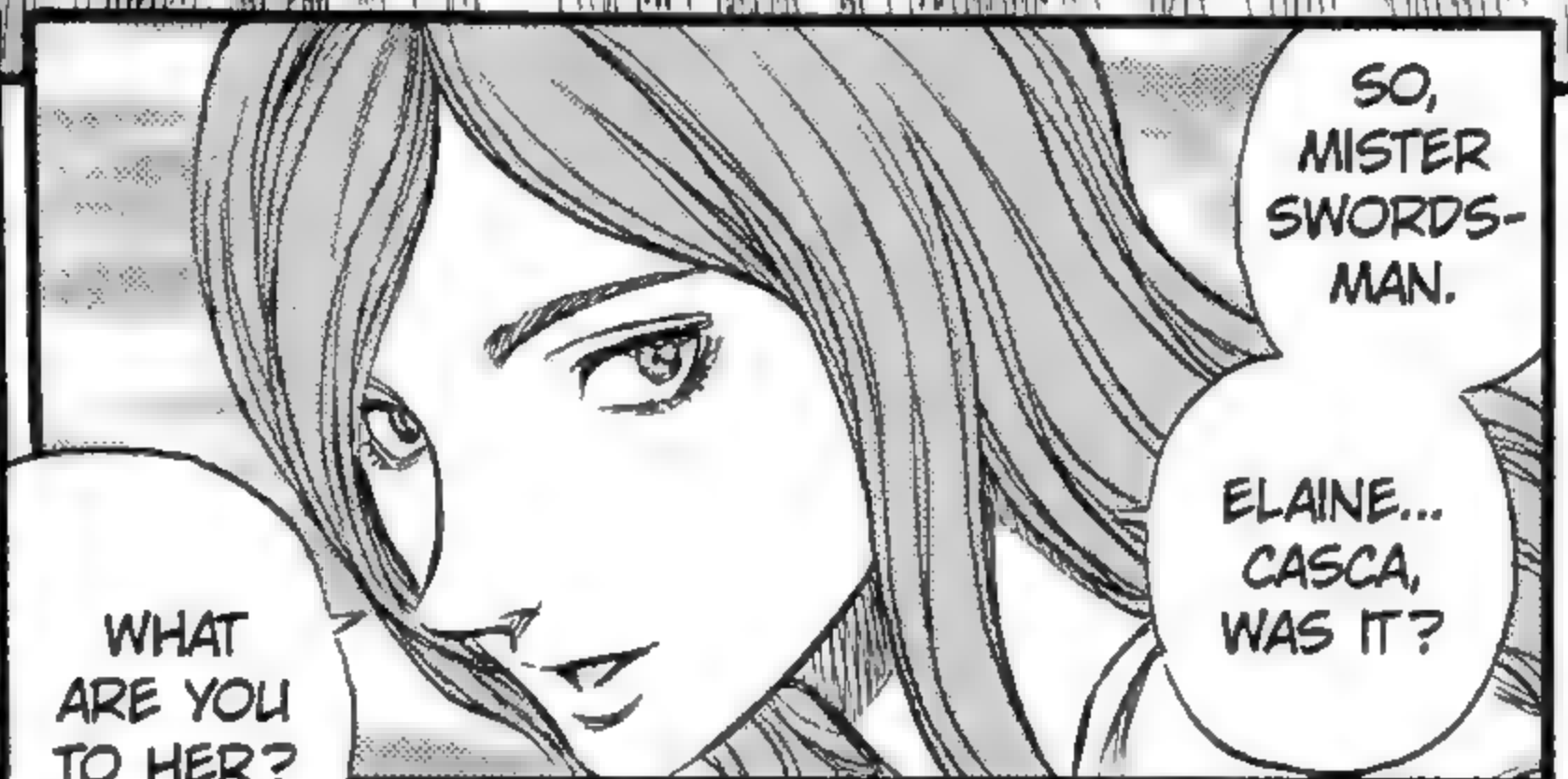
BUT...

THIS
TIME...!!

...THIS
TIME...



.....



SO,
MISTER
SWORDS-
MAN.

ELAINE...
CASCA,
WAS IT?

WHAT
ARE YOU
TO HER?



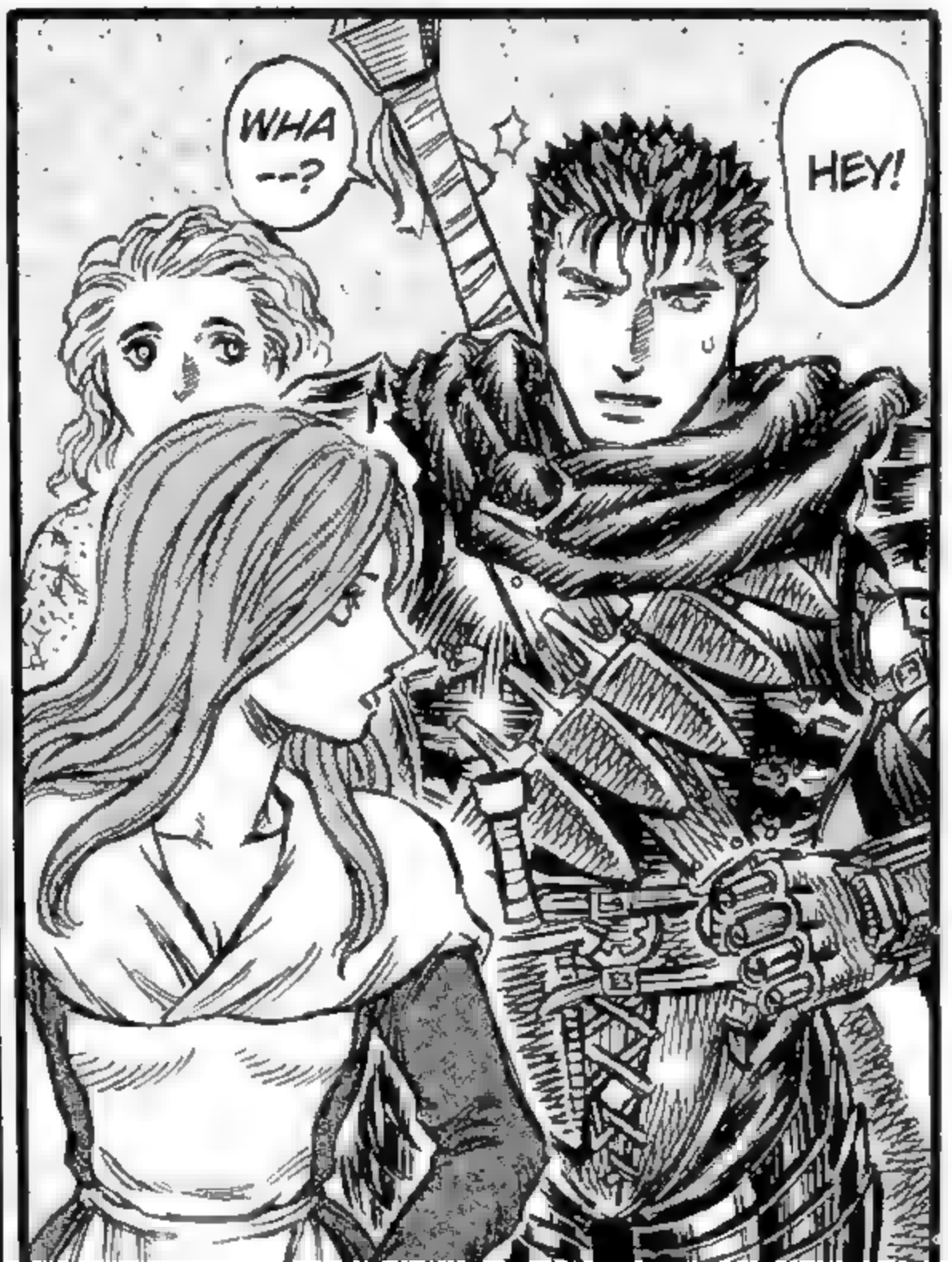
I SENSE
THAT
RISQUE
SURGE,
Y'KNOW.

WHO'S
THE
MONKEY
?

S-SO,
LADIES,
ARE YOU
P-P-P-
PROSTI-
TUTES?

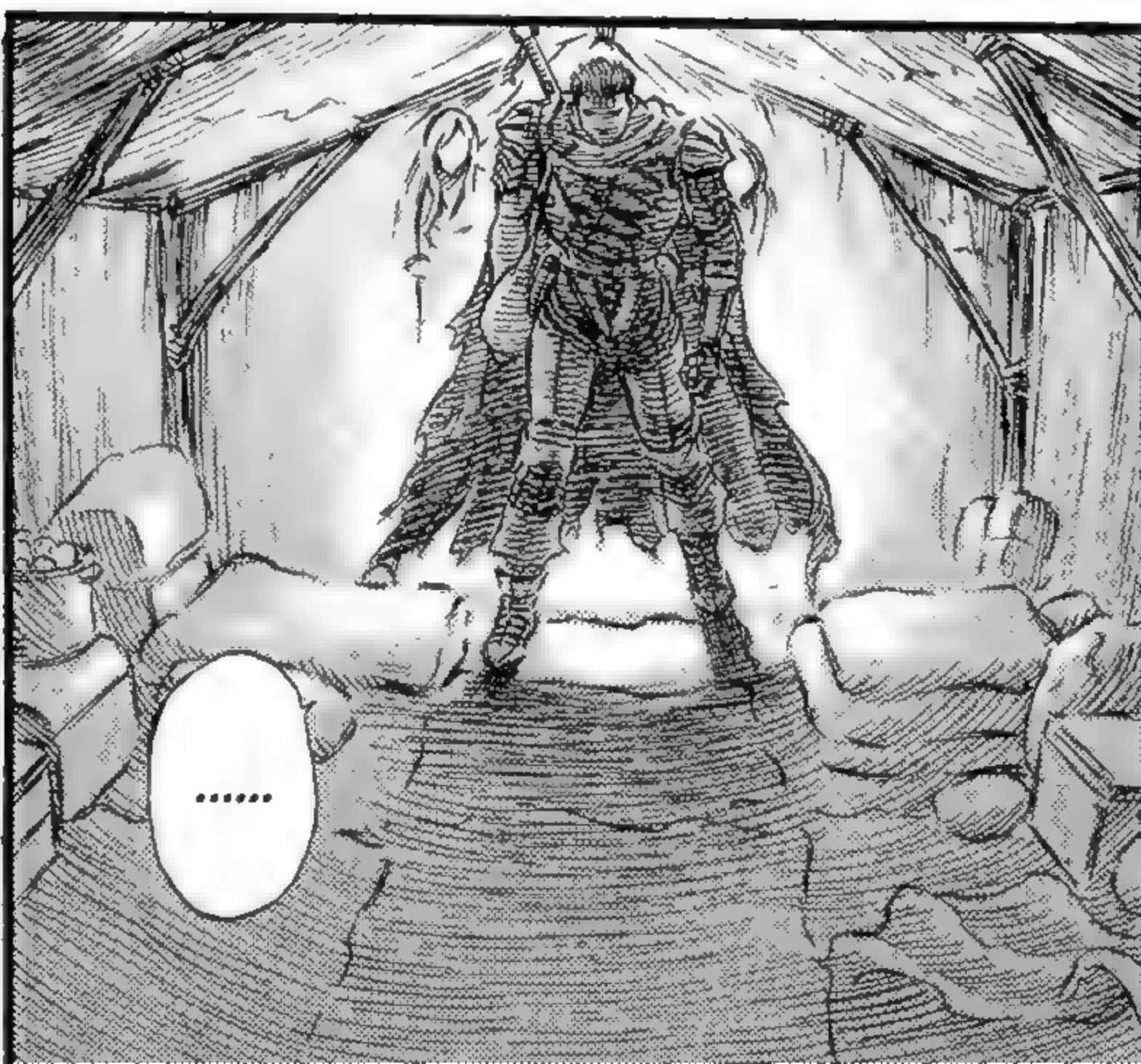
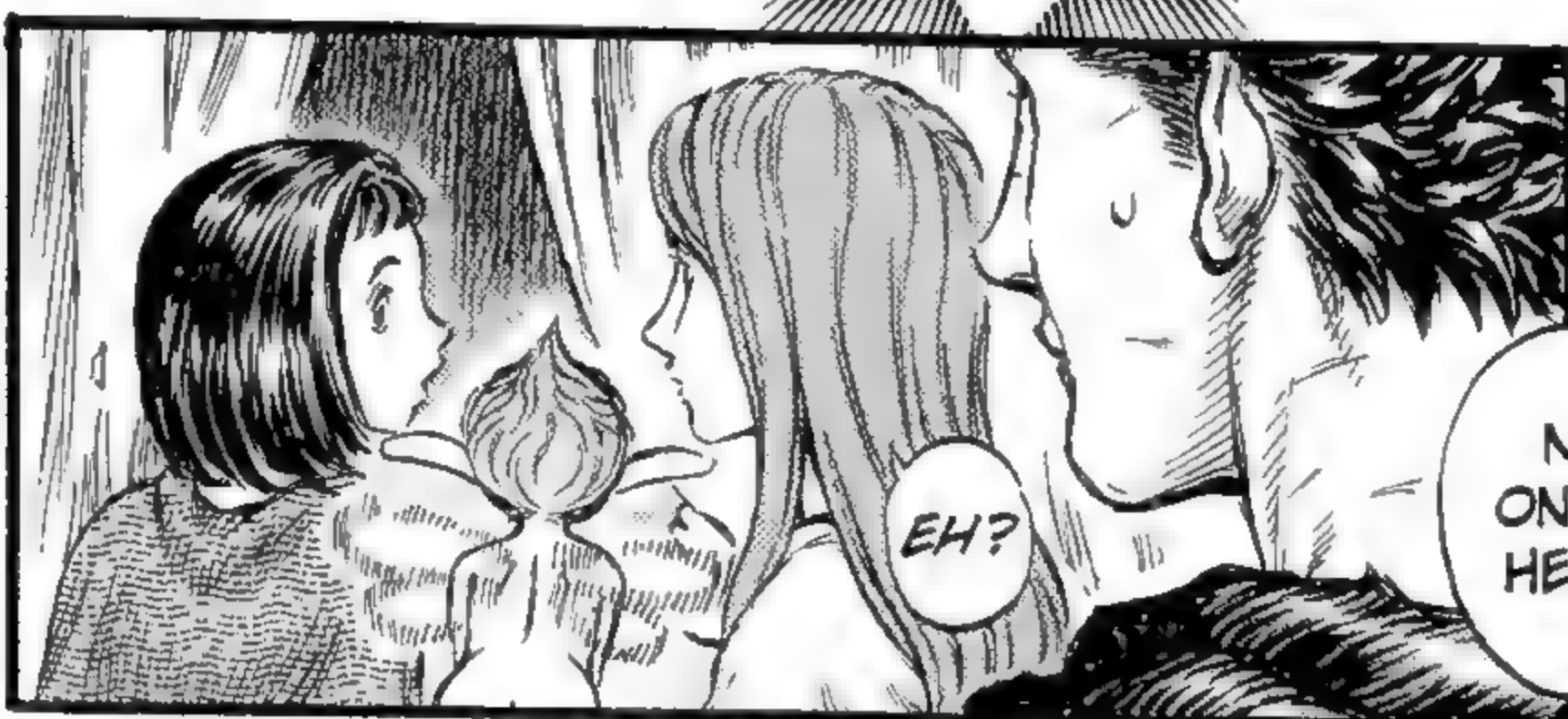


I THINK
I KNOW. NEVER
MIND.



WHA
--?

HEY!





CASCA...!!



DON'T TELL ME THE HUNTERS...?

THERE'RE NO SIGNS OF A STRUGGLE, THOUGH.

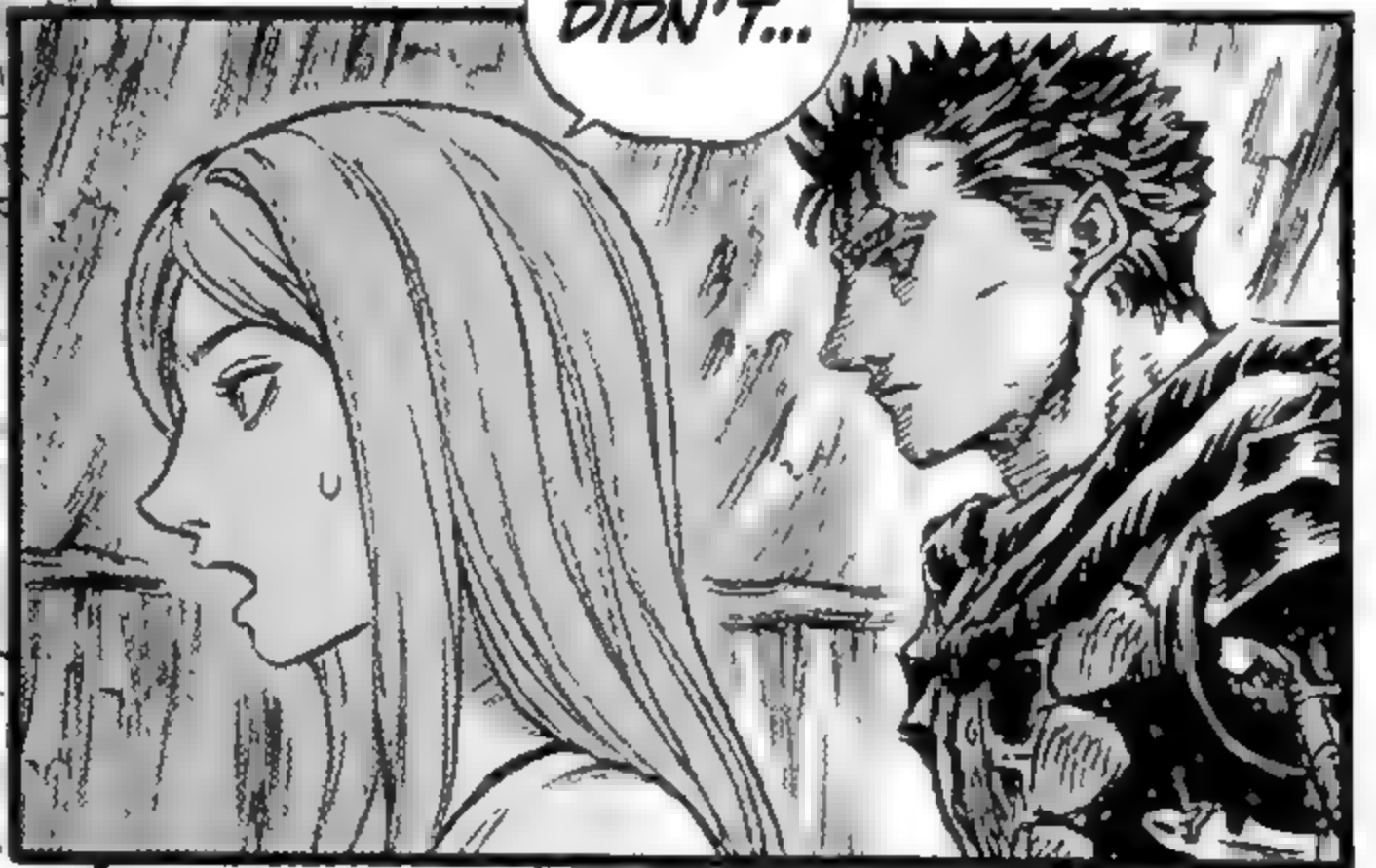


---IS THIS WHERE YOU...?

NINA'S THINGS ARE THE ONLY ONES GONE.

!

*FX. (excitement)



SHE DIDN'T...



*FX: HAHH HAHH

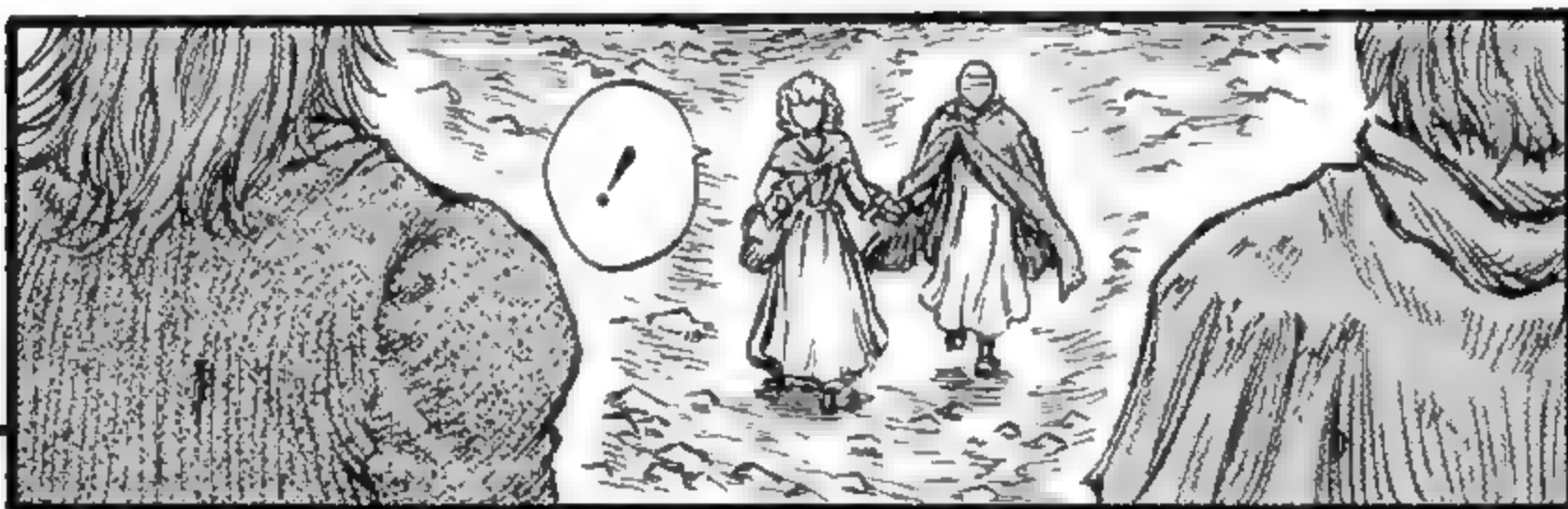
*FX: KOFF KOFF



ooo...



*FX: SLUMP





...THERE'S
NO WAY
WE'LL FIND
HER IN ALL
THIS.

...EVEN IF
WE SPLIT
UP AND
SEARCH...

STILL,
THOUGH
...



THEY'RE
AWE-
STRUCK.

HEH
HEH
HEH

WHY DO
THEY ALL
SEEM
SCARED
A' YOU?



IT'D SUCK
FOR YOU
IF NOT
FOR THE
BANDAGES.

YOU DON'T
KNOW WHAT
CASCA LOOKS
LIKE, DO YA?

WHY'RE
YOU
ON TOP
OF MY
HEAD?

I SAW
HER WITH
MINDWAVES.

BUT DROPEY,
WHY'RE YOU
FOLLOWIN'
GUTS,
HELPIN'
HIM
FIND
CASCA
?

HM
HM
HM...



MOMMY,
LOOK...

SHHH!

STILL
...

...HERE...?

IS
SOMETHIN'
WEIRD
GOIN' ON...



SOMETHIN'S
STRANGE,
THOUGH.

WITH THIS
MANY FOLKS
AROUND,
I'M USUALLY
INVISIBLE.



THEY'RE ALL
DYIN' OFF!
MAKES ME
SICK TO
LOOK AT
'EM!

ON TOP A' THAT,
THEY'RE
SCARED OF
BEIN' RATTED
ON...

...AND THEN
WANDERED
INTO *THIS*
PLACE.

THEY ALL
RAN OFF,
WITHOUT
FIGHTIN'
THE KUSHAN...



I DON'T KNOW
ABOUT NO WITCH ANY-
HUNT, BUT THEY'RE HOO...
SCARED OUTTA
THEIR WITS.

AND
UGH...
IS IT
EVER
GLOOMY!

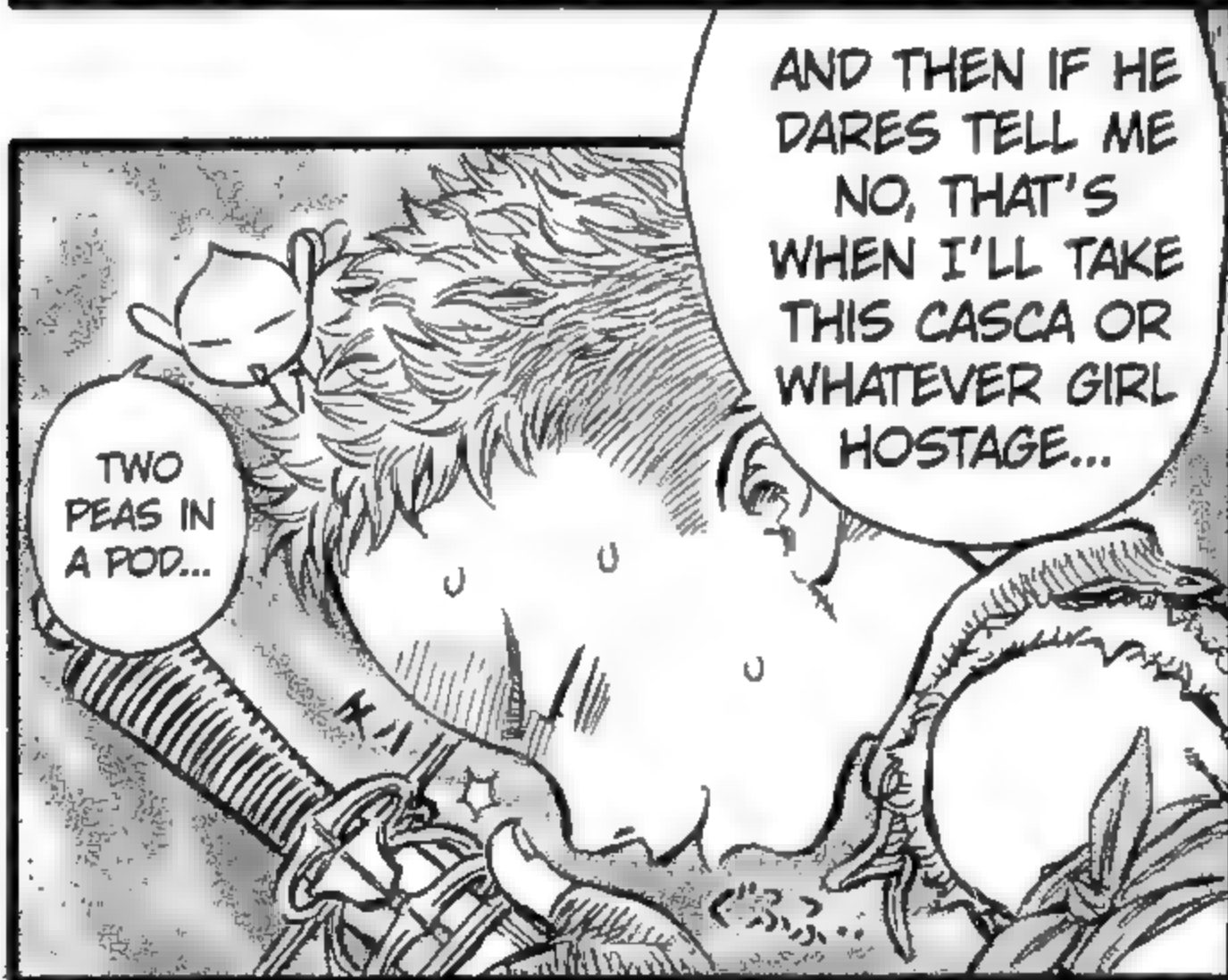
*POK



COMBAT'S ALWAYS BEEN A MAN'S BIGGEST CHANCE TO MAKE IT IN THE WORLD! AND YOU DON'T NEED FUNDS, JUST ONE OF THESE!

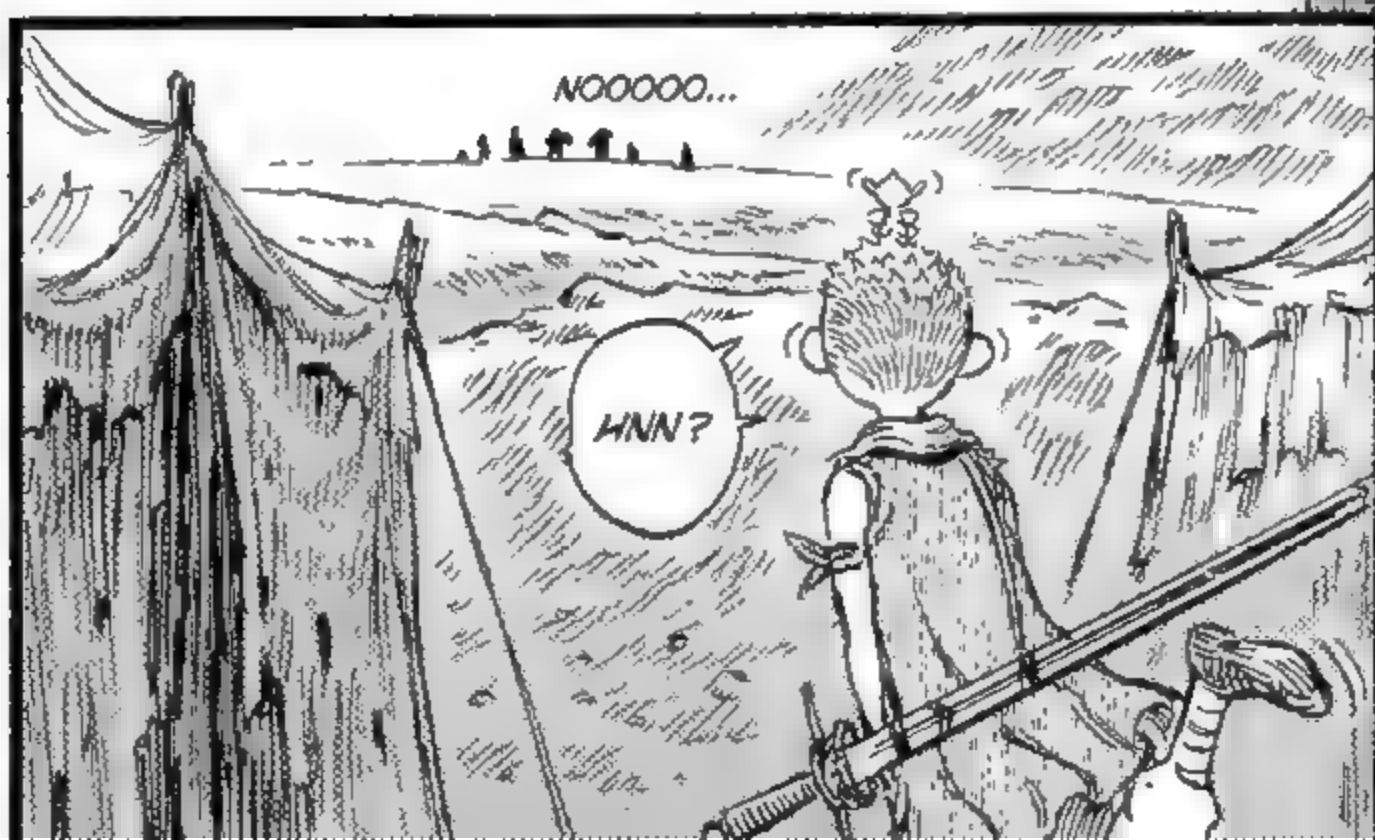


EVEN IF I HAVE TO SNEAK AROUND AND FOLLOW HIM, I'D BE MORE OF A MAN IF I STOLE HIS MOVES!!!



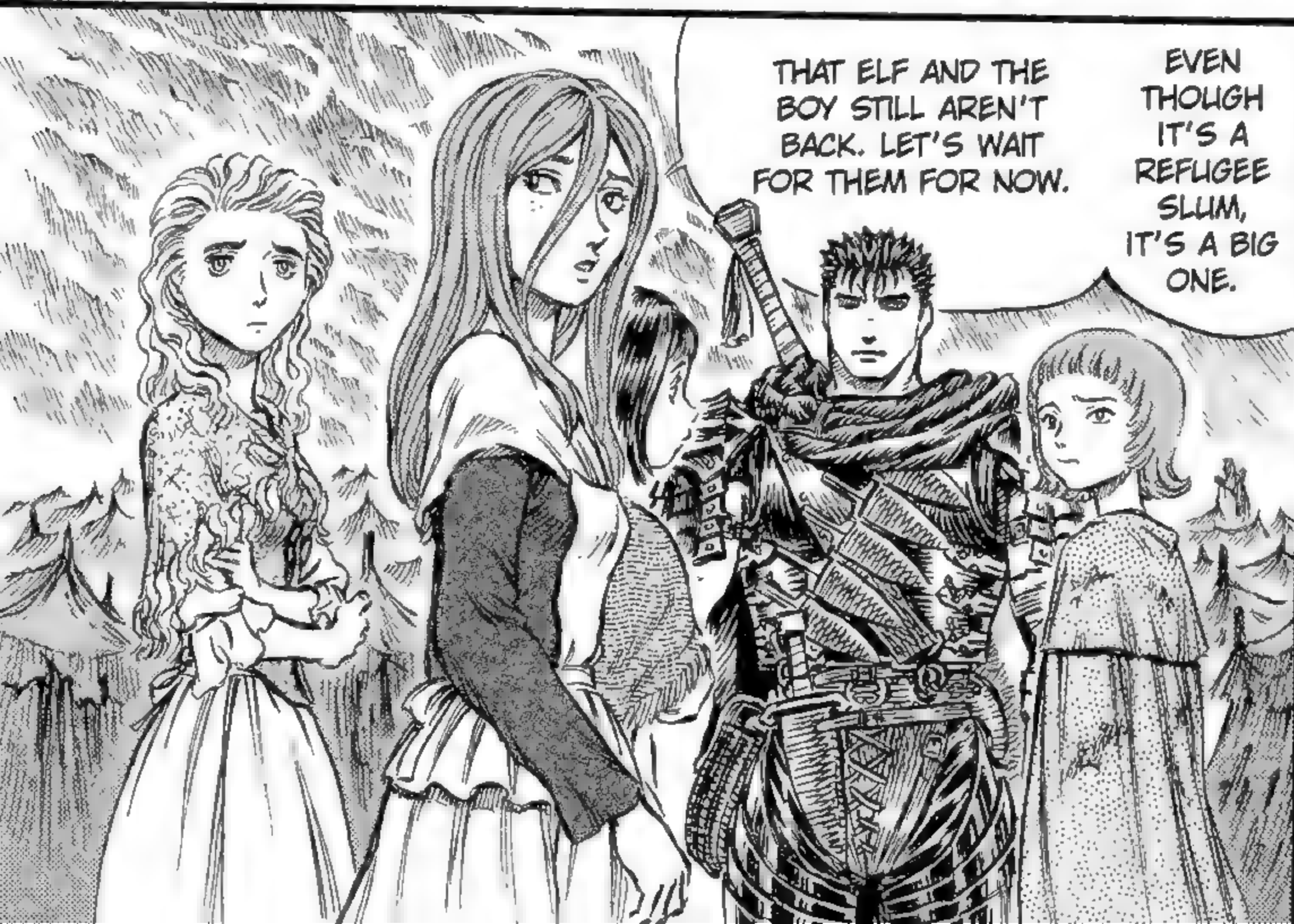
*FX: CHINK

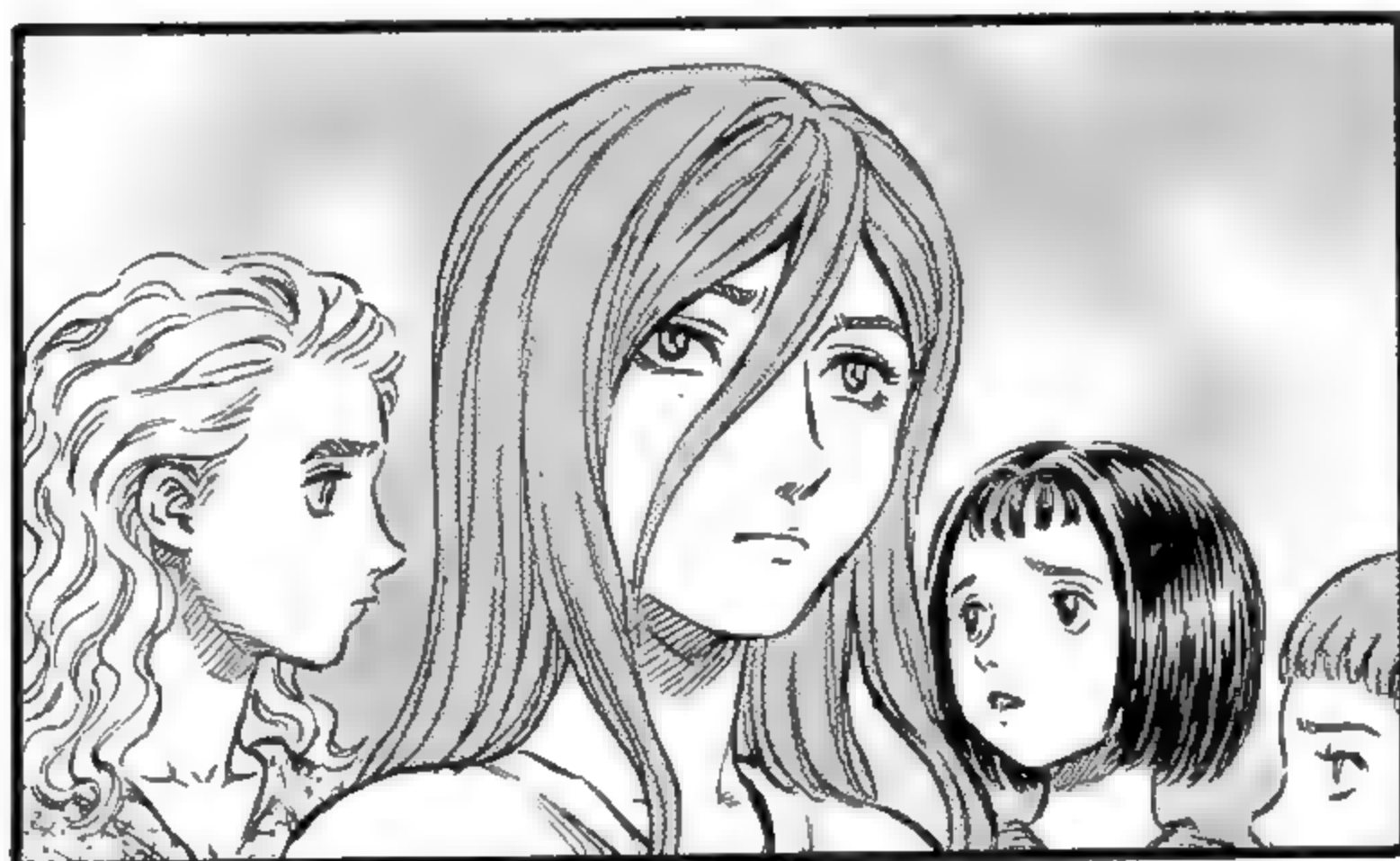
*FX: MHMHM





*FX: SNEAK SNEAK SNEAK



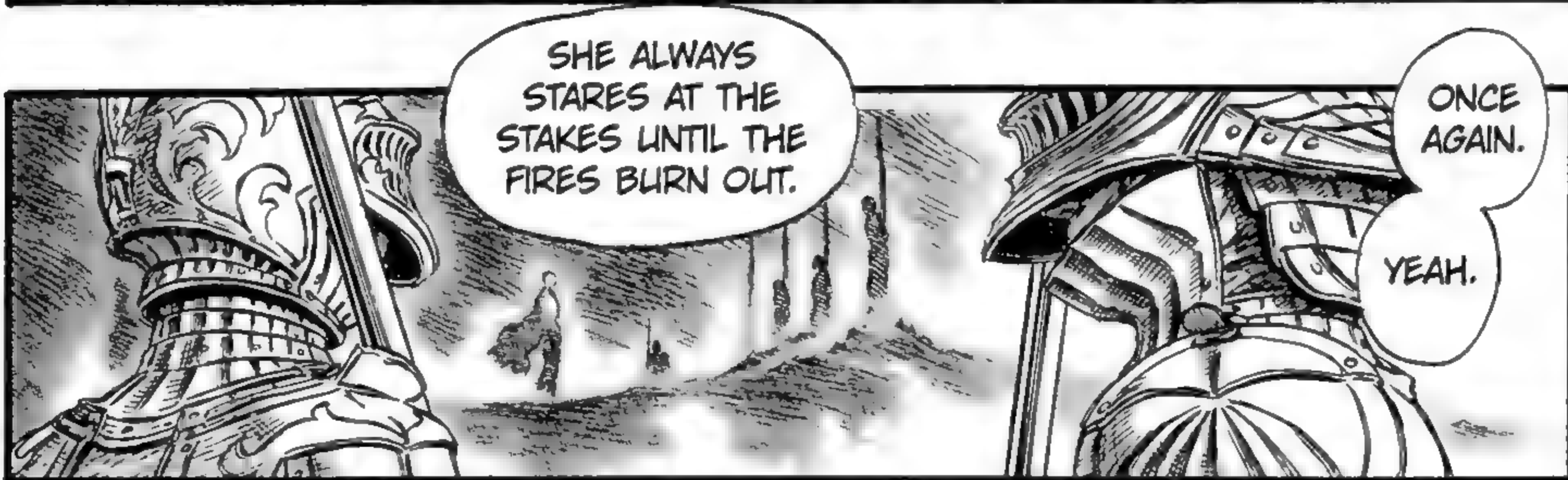
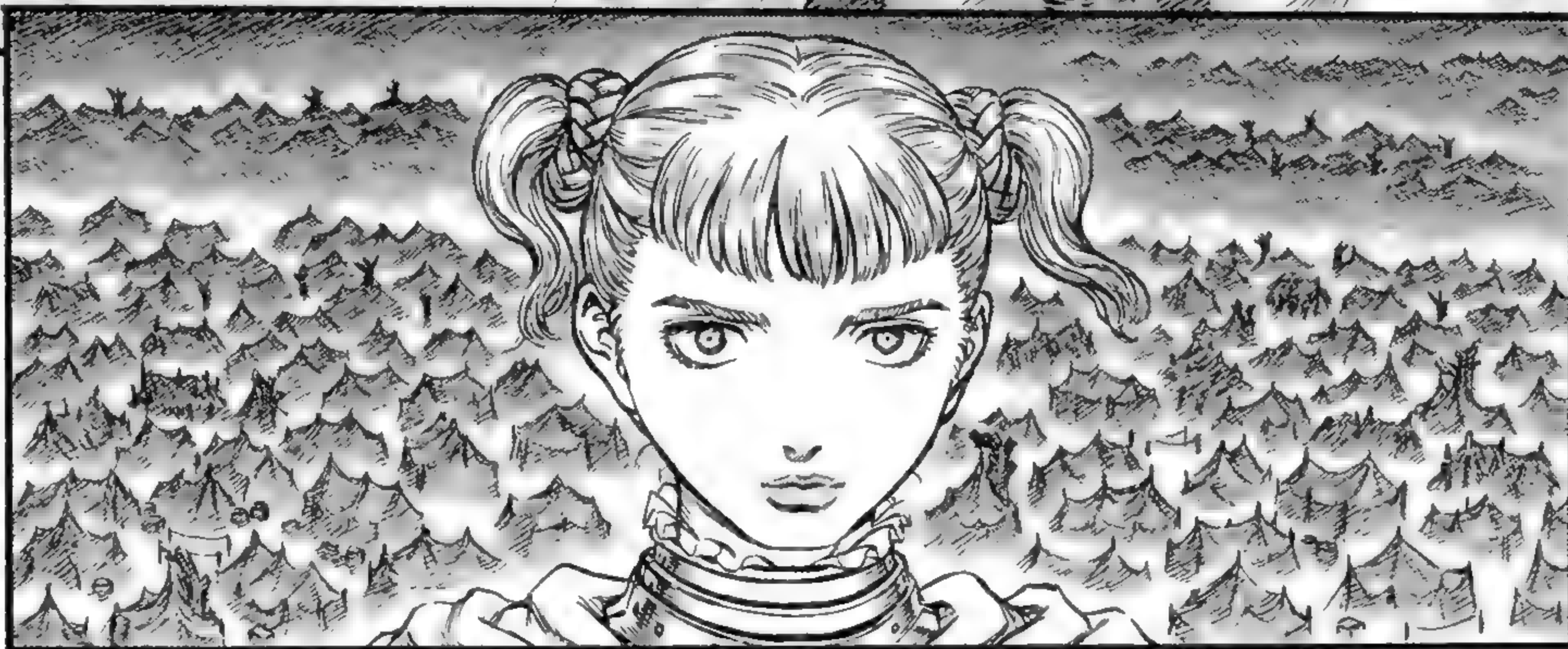




CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
AMBITION BOY

断罪篇 生誕祭の章 野望少年

HYUUUUUU



SHE ALWAYS
STARES AT THE
STAKES UNTIL THE
FIRES BURN OUT.

ONCE
AGAIN.

YEAH.



IT'S AS
IF SHE'S
SPELLBOUND
BY THE
FLAMES.

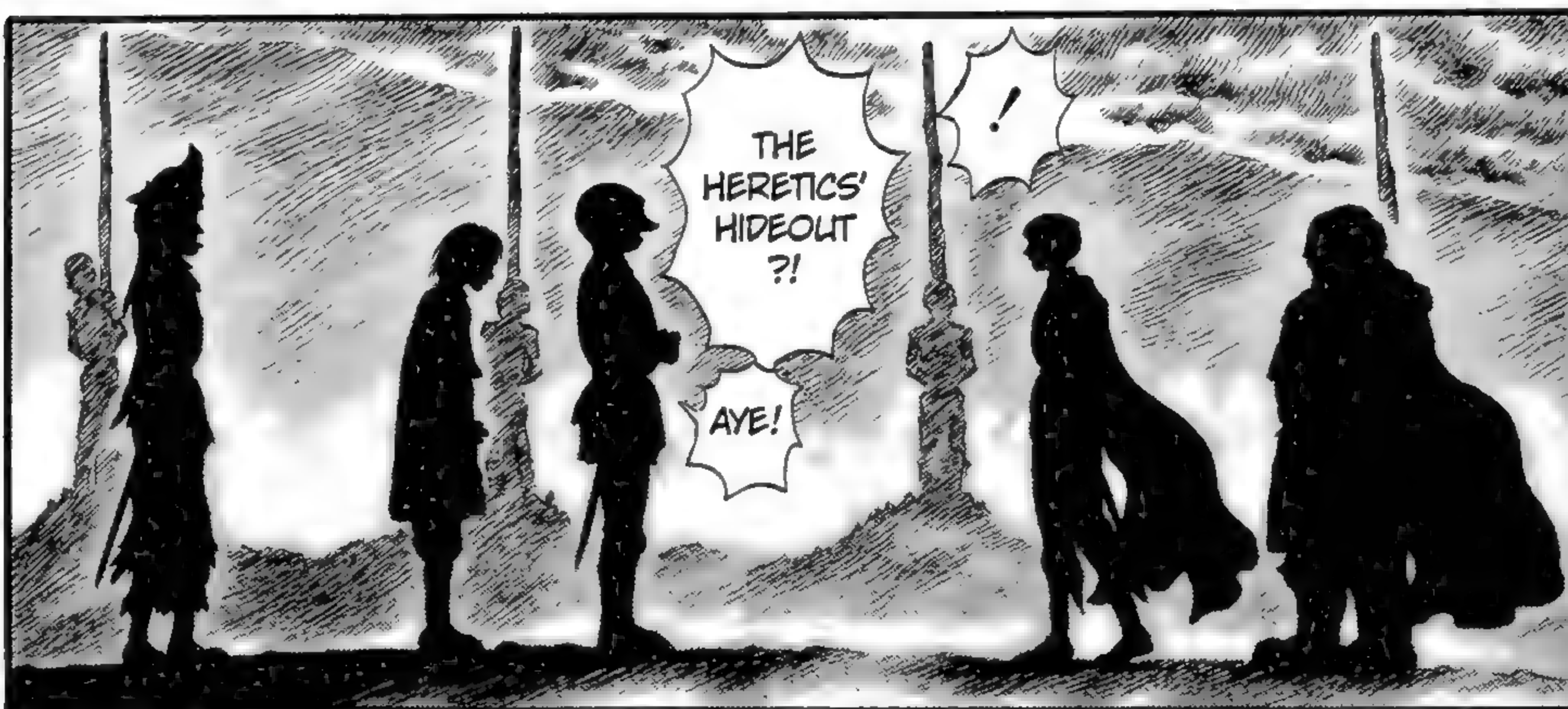


I...
I HAVE
NEWS TO
REPORT!!



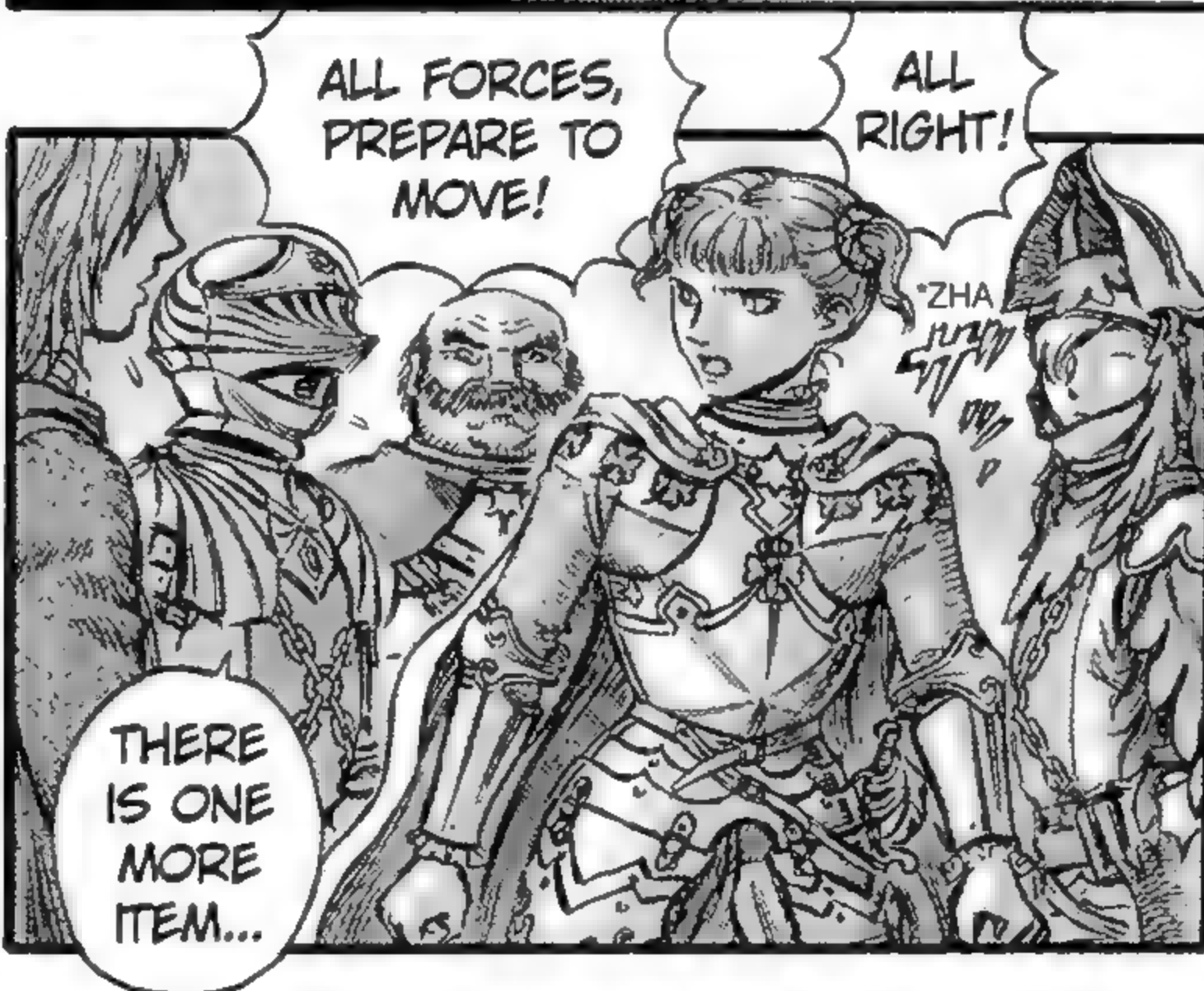
.....

*FX: GCHAK GCHAK



THE
HERETICS'
HIDEOUT
?!

AYE!



ALL FORCES,
PREPARE TO
MOVE!

ALL
RIGHT!

THERE
IS ONE
MORE
ITEM...

*ZHA
JUN
5/11
08



THIS MAN
SAYS HE
WAS ONCE
THEIR
CAPTIVE,
BUT
ESCAPED
AND RE-
TURNED.

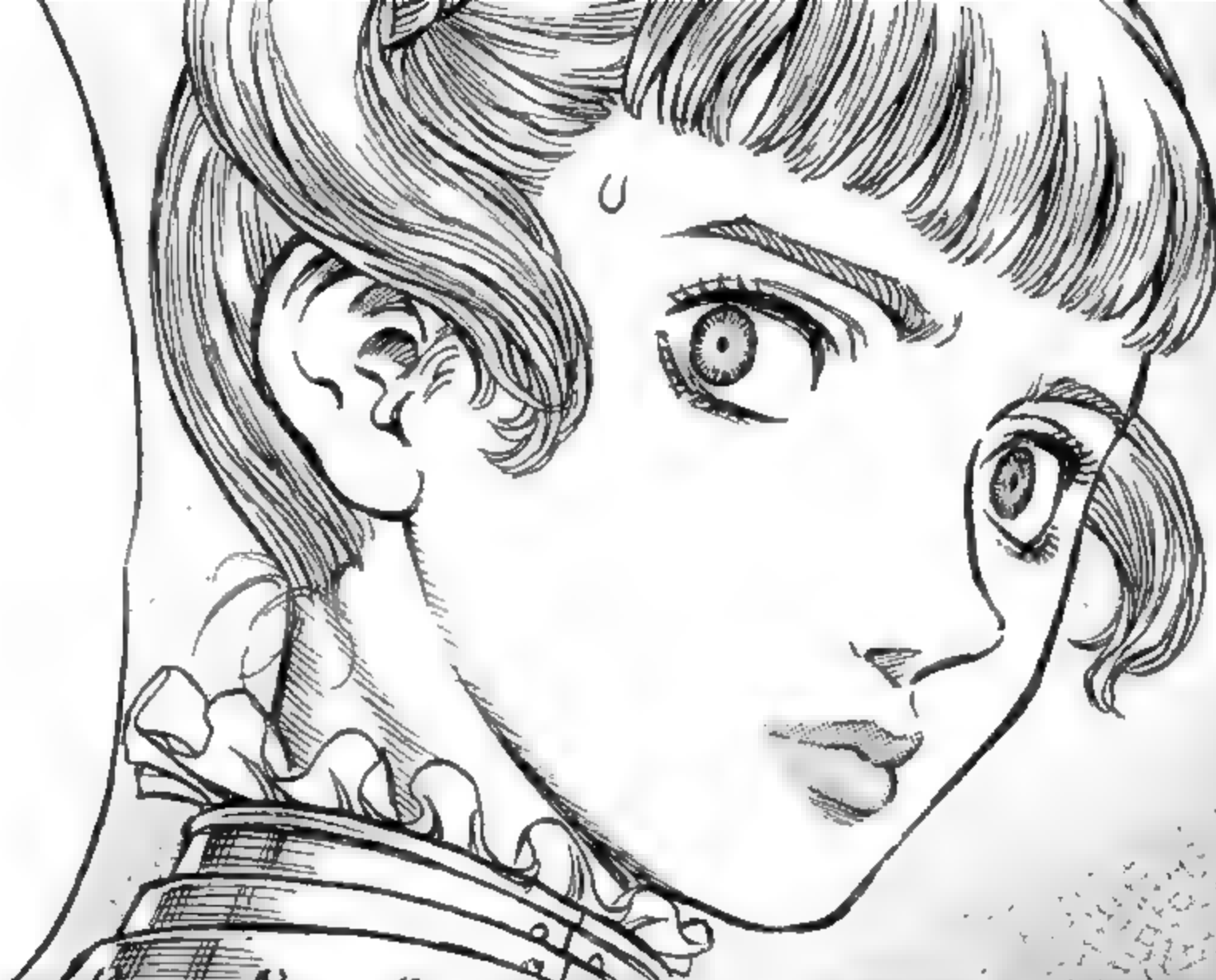
FROM
HIS
TONE, IT
DOESN'T
SOUND
FALSE.



FOUR
TROOPS
LOST THEIR
LIVES IN
COMBAT.

A SHORT
TIME AGO,
A UNIT CAME
UNDER
ATTACK IN
THE SLUM
DURING AN
ARREST.

ALL SOLDIERS
AT THE SCENE
CONFIRMED,
"THAT'S THE
BLACK
SWORDSMAN"...



ACCORDING TO
THE REPORT,
THE ASSAILANT
WAS A SINGLE MAN,
ALL IN BLACK,
SWINGING A SWORD
AS LONG AS HE
WAS TALL.

IS THIS
TRUE?!



THE
BLACK
SWORDSMAN...!!



THIS
TIME HE
WILL--



SURELY
THIS IS
DIVINE
PROVIDENCE
!!

GR
RN
N...

AYE, SIR!
I BELIEVE
IT IS...



OUR FIRST
PRIORITY NOW IS
TO COOPERATE
WITH THE INQUISITOR
IN THE ERADICATION
OF THE HERETICS.



WE'VE
ALREADY
BEEN
RELEASED
FROM THE
DUTY OF
ARRESTING
THE BLACK
SWORDSMAN.

STAND
DOWN.



DO NOT
BLUR DUTY
WITH
PERSONAL
BIAS!!

BUT--
!!

I MUST
REQUEST
THAT YOU LEAD
US TO THE
HIDEOUT.





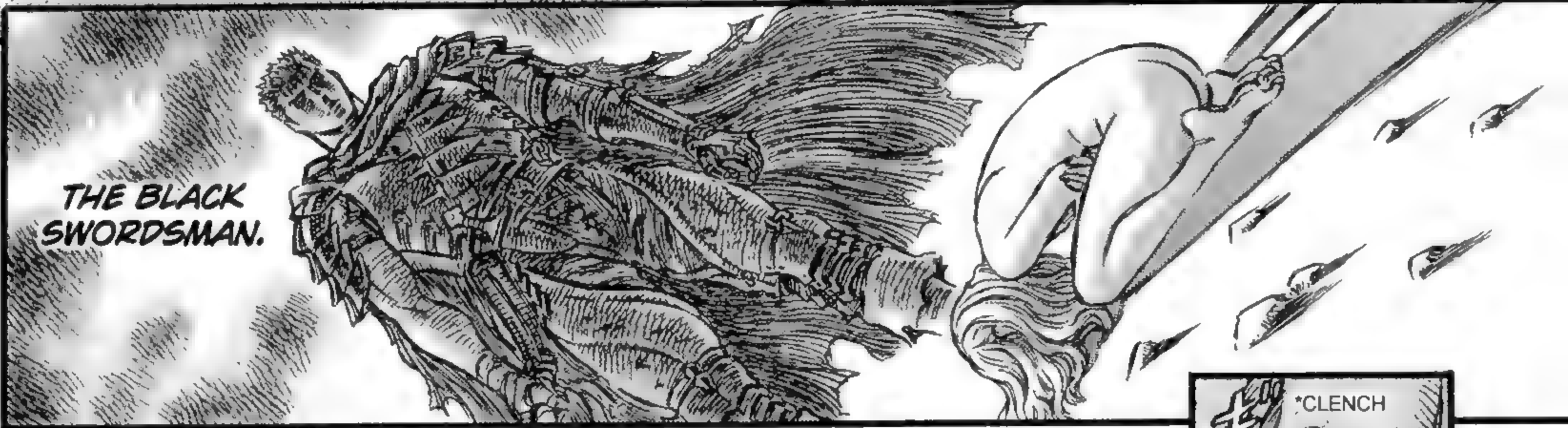
WE
MOVE
OUT
SOON.



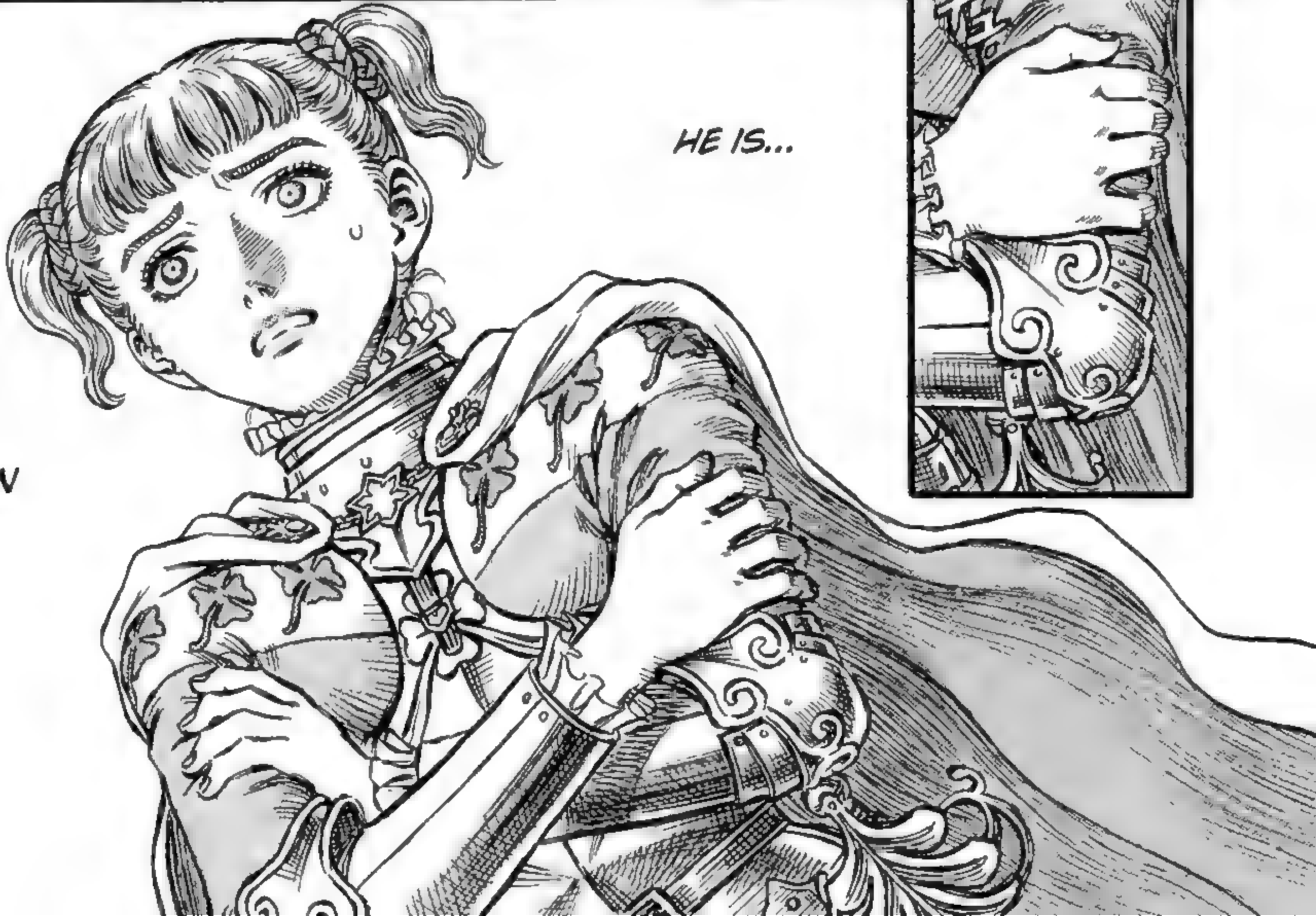
ALL
RIGHT
...



.....

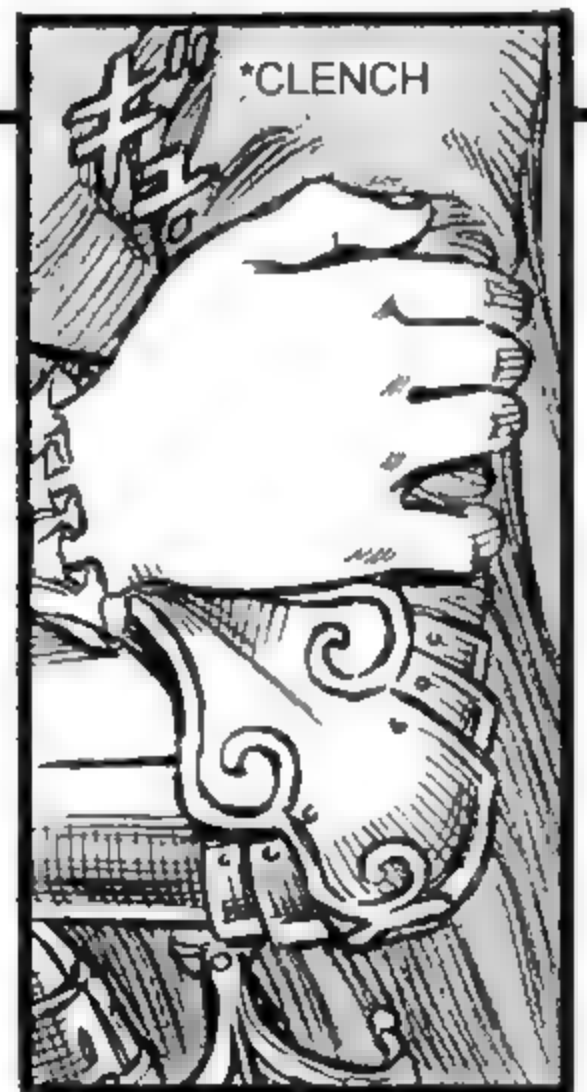


THE BLACK
SWORDSMAN.

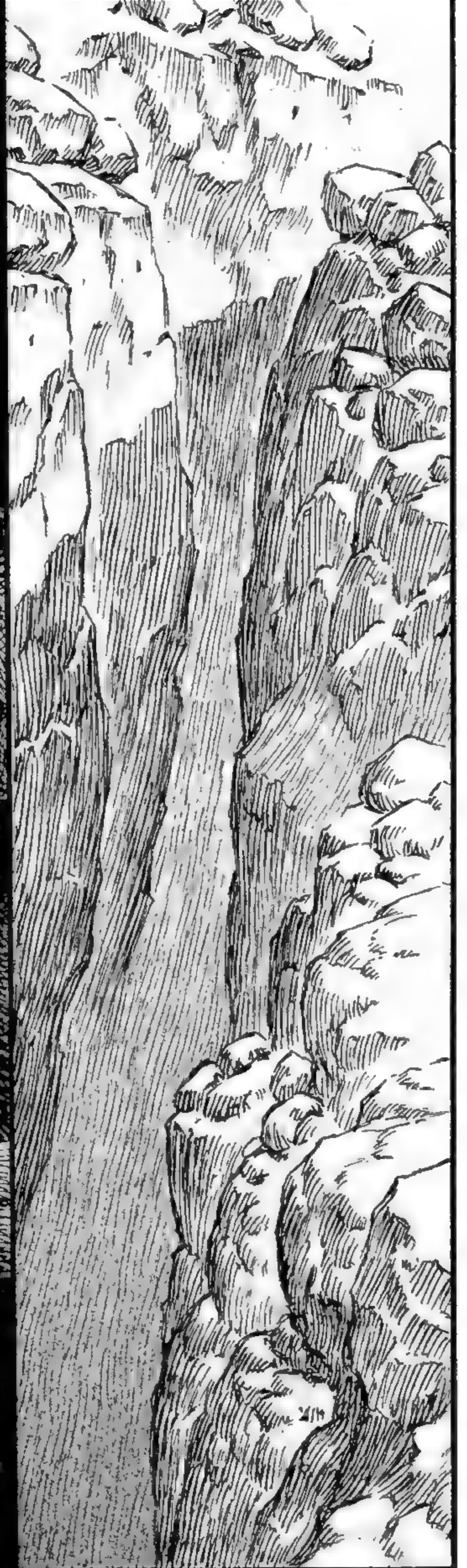


HE IS...

HE'S HERE IN
ALBION...!!



*CLENCH





AS ALL OF YOU KNOW,
THE STONE PILLAR DEIFIED
IN THE *TOWER OF CONVICTION*
IS NO LONGER POTENT NOR
SIGNIFICANT!! IT HAS NO POWER
TO MANIFEST EVEN A SINGLE
MYSTERY. THE TOWER HAS
INSTEAD BEEN REDUCED TO A
VILE LODGE OF SWINE WHO USE
SOPHISTRY IN AN ATTEMPT TO
OPPRESS AND CONTROL US!!

BUT WE ARE
AWARE!!
AWARE OF THE
ONE TRULY
DESERVING OF
REVERENCE!!

THE ONE
POSSESSING
POWER!!!



IS
THAT--?!



THE HOLY
SYMBOL
DENOTED
BY OUR
MASTER...

TONIGHT,
THE HAR-
BINGER
OF THE
PROMISED
DAY...



SO
THAT'S
HER.

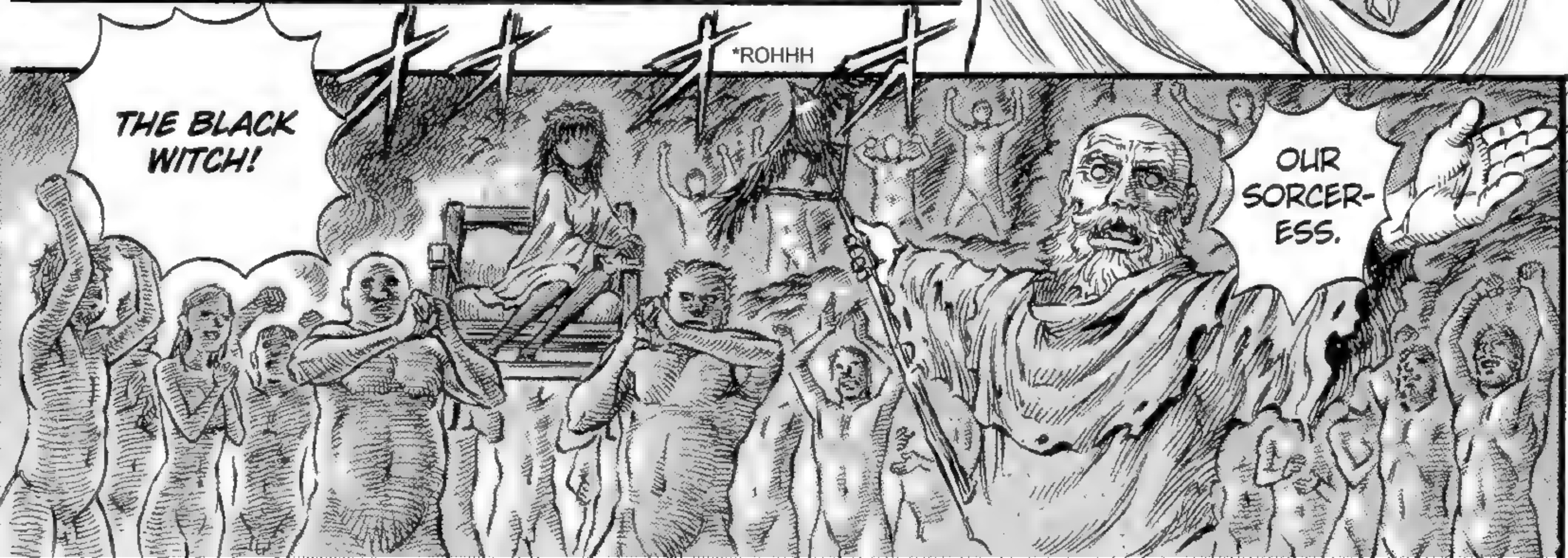
IT'S
CASCA
!



THE BLACK
WITCH!

*ROHHH

OUR
SORCER-
ESS.



AND ON
THIS
AUSPI-
CIOUS
NIGHT...

...ONE
OF OUR
FAITHFUL
SHALL BE
GRANTED
AN HONOR
GREATER
THAN SHE
DESERVES.

ZHA

A
MIRACLE IN
AND OF
HERSELF
!!

SHE IS
EVIDENCE
OF OUR
BELIEF!!

WHOA! WHOA!
THIS LOOK BAD
TO YOU?!

IT'S THE
GIRL WHO
WAS WITH
CASCA.

REJOICE,
DAUGHTER NINA.
BY THIS GREAT TASK
YOU WILL EXPIATE
YOUR CRIME OF
TRYING TO STEAL
HER AWAY FOR
YOURSELF.

LET
ME
GOOO
!!

N
O
OO
O!!

*LOOM

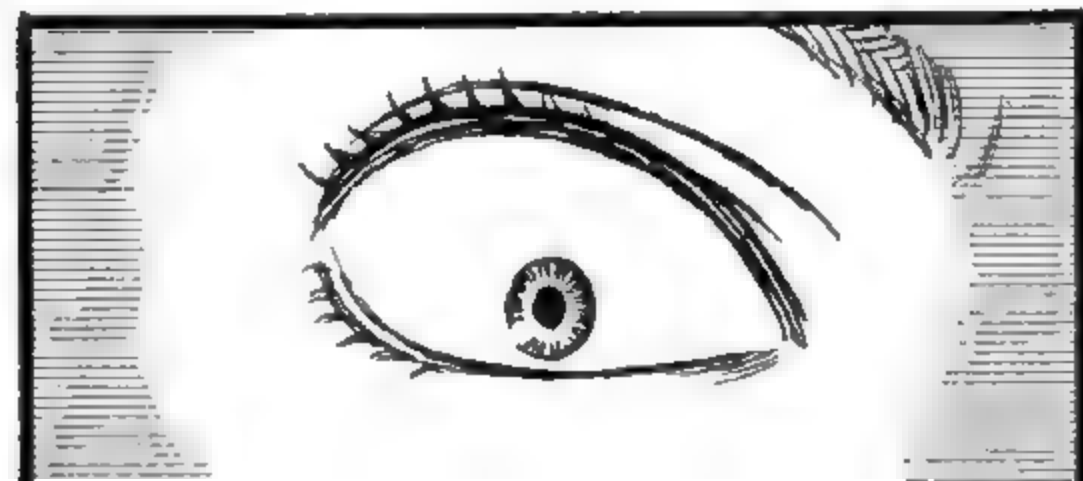
AND
AFTER,
THE
WITCH...

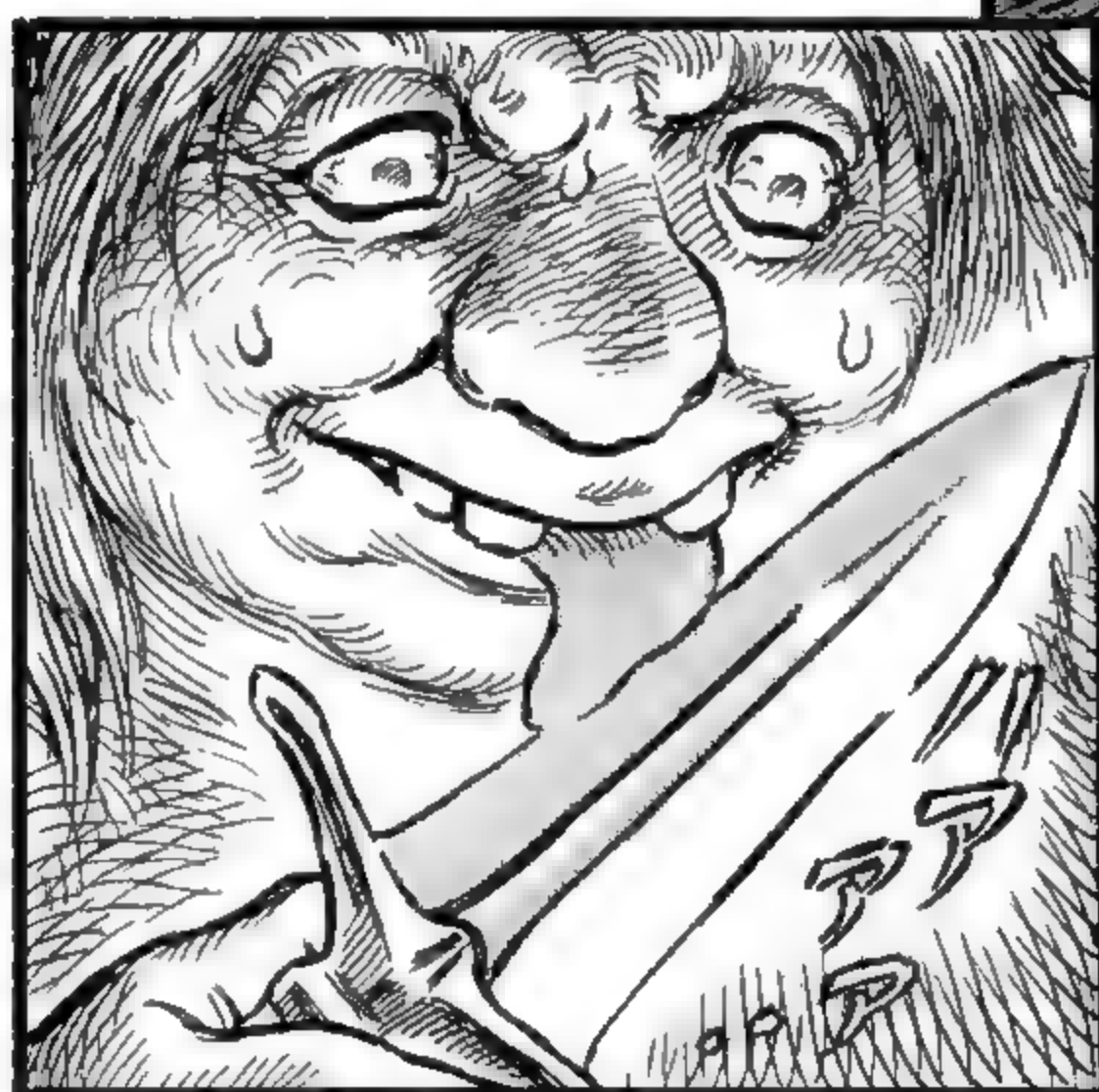
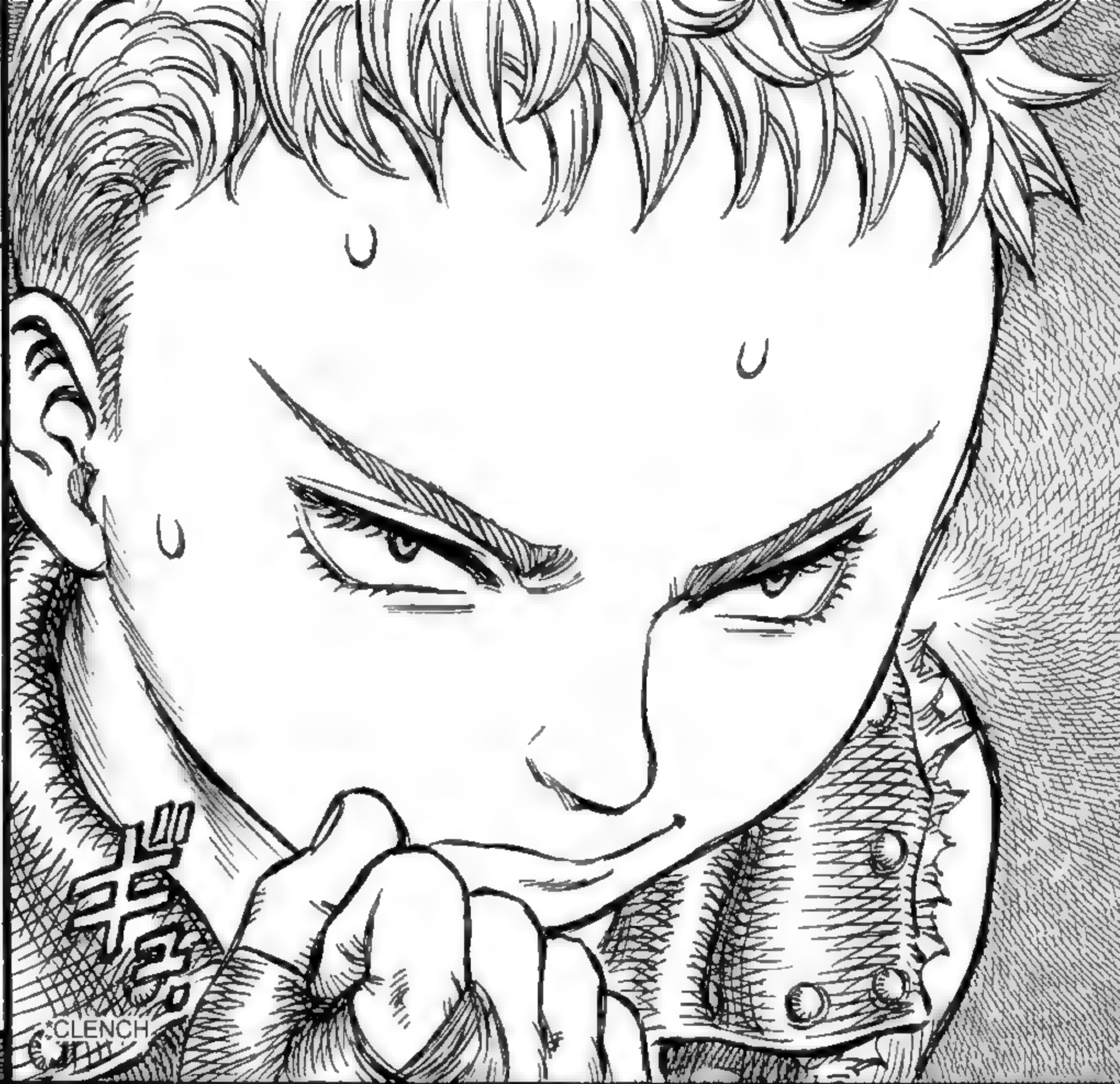
IT SHALL
BE AN
OFFERING
TO THE
WITCH!!

WE
SHALL
NOW CUT
OUT HER
HEART
!!



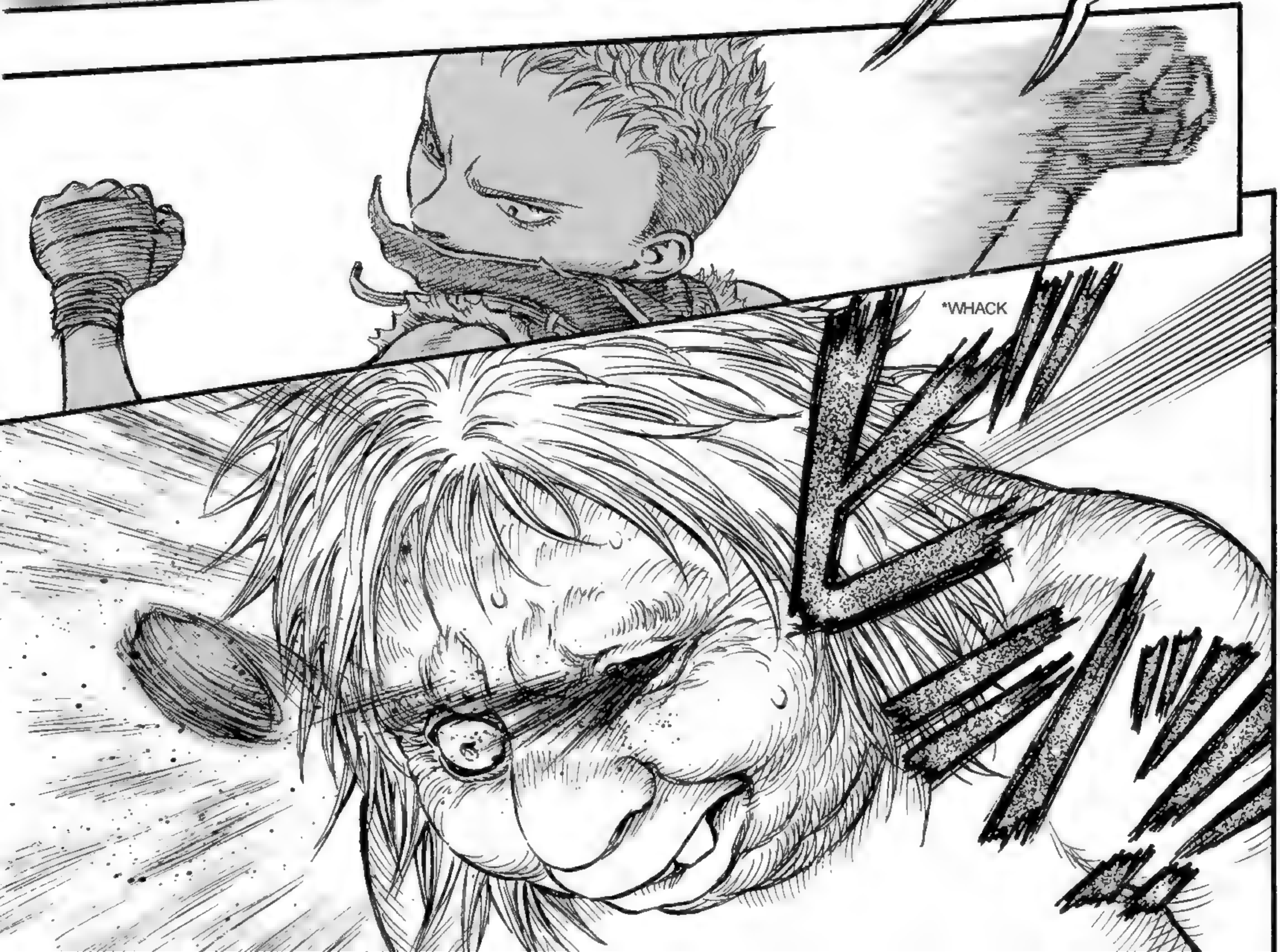
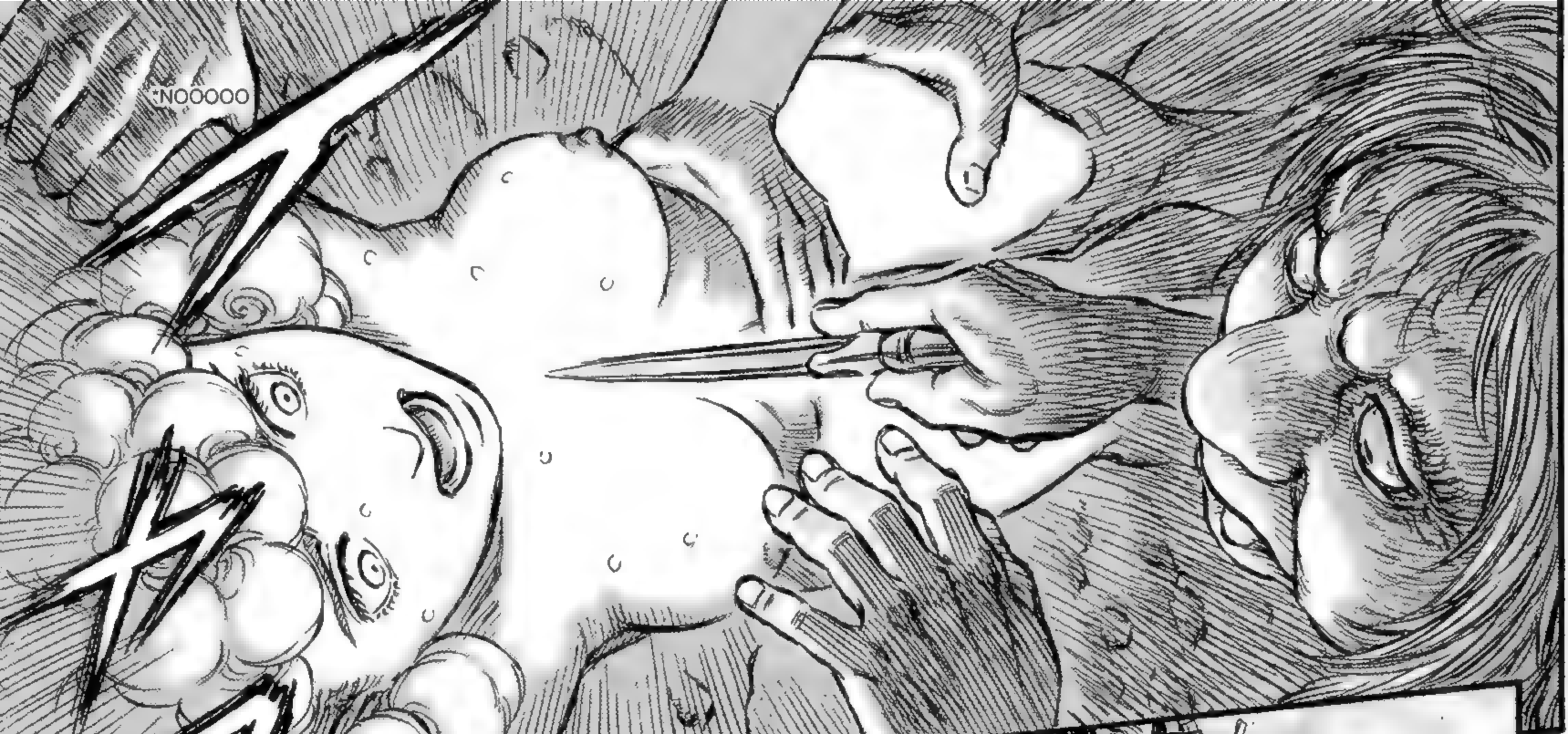
*FX: GABBA GABBA





*FX: HAHHHH







HOW D'YA
LIKE ME
NOW?

OH!

OH!

NOT
BAD!



*GYAHHHH

WHAT'S
WRONG?!

?!

IT'S TOO
COMMON FOR
SOMEONE
WHO'S GONNA
BE A BIG-TIME
SWORDSMAN.

BUT I'VE
GOT NO
CHOICE
RIGHT NOW.

SMAP

I DON'T LIKE
USIN' SUCH A
POOR MAN'S
TECHNIQUE
ANY MORE
THAN I GOTTA,
THOUGH.



*HHHHHH

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...



I
KNEW
YOU'D
SAY
IT.

OH!!
ISIDRO MEANS
"STONE THIEF"
?!

WHADDA
YA KNOW!



A
THIEF
...

...
STONES.

...WHO
THROWS
...



QUIT SCREWIN'
AROUND IN
THIS OL' WET,
MUSTY HOLE!!

HEY,
ALL YOU
LIMP-DICK
CULTISTS!!

I'LL RAT
ON ALL
'A YOU!!!



*ZHOOM

MAKE A BIG
APPEAL TO MY
MAN GLITS
FOR ME!!

THROW!!
UNTIL YOUR
IRON ARM
GIVES OUT
!!

NOW,
PLUCK,
GO!



ROGER!



*KRAK

Gy
Ah!

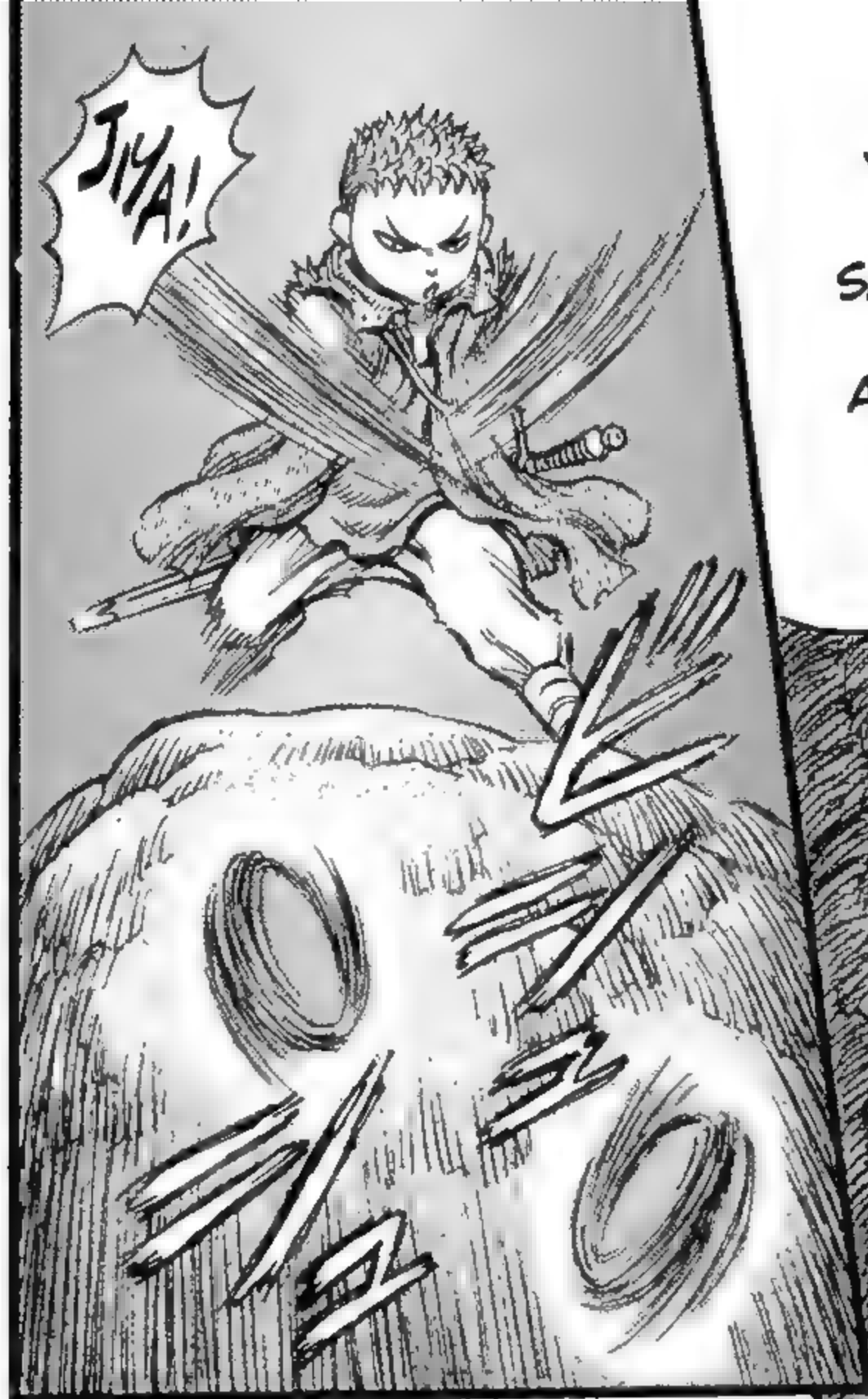
GH...

*WHOCK



WE'LL
SACRIFICE
HIM, TOO!!

GRRR!
DRAG HIM
DOWN!!



*FX: VSHH SHH

YOU CAN
ALL BE
SACRIFICES
TO MY
AMBITION!

HEH! STUPID
CHEESE DICKS
CAN'T GET A
THING DONE
WITHOUT
SWARMIN'!



*BAK

GYAB!

*GOCH



TALK ABOUT
ONE BIG
WEAK SPOT!
AND YOUR REAL
WEAK SPOT'S
EXPOSED, TOO!

FOOLS!
YOU'RE
TAKIN' ME
ON STARK
NAKED?!

TO TOP IT OFF,
FROM HERE YOU'RE
COMPLETELY VISIBLE,
AND I'VE GOT
TONS OF AMMO.

*DSSSH



I'VE
BEEN IN
TROUBLE
TONS OF
TIMES.

...I'VE WANDERED
AIMLESSLY
WITHOUT FOOD
OR WATER
THROUGH A
KINGDOM FULL
OF ROVIN'
KUSHAN AND
BANDITS.

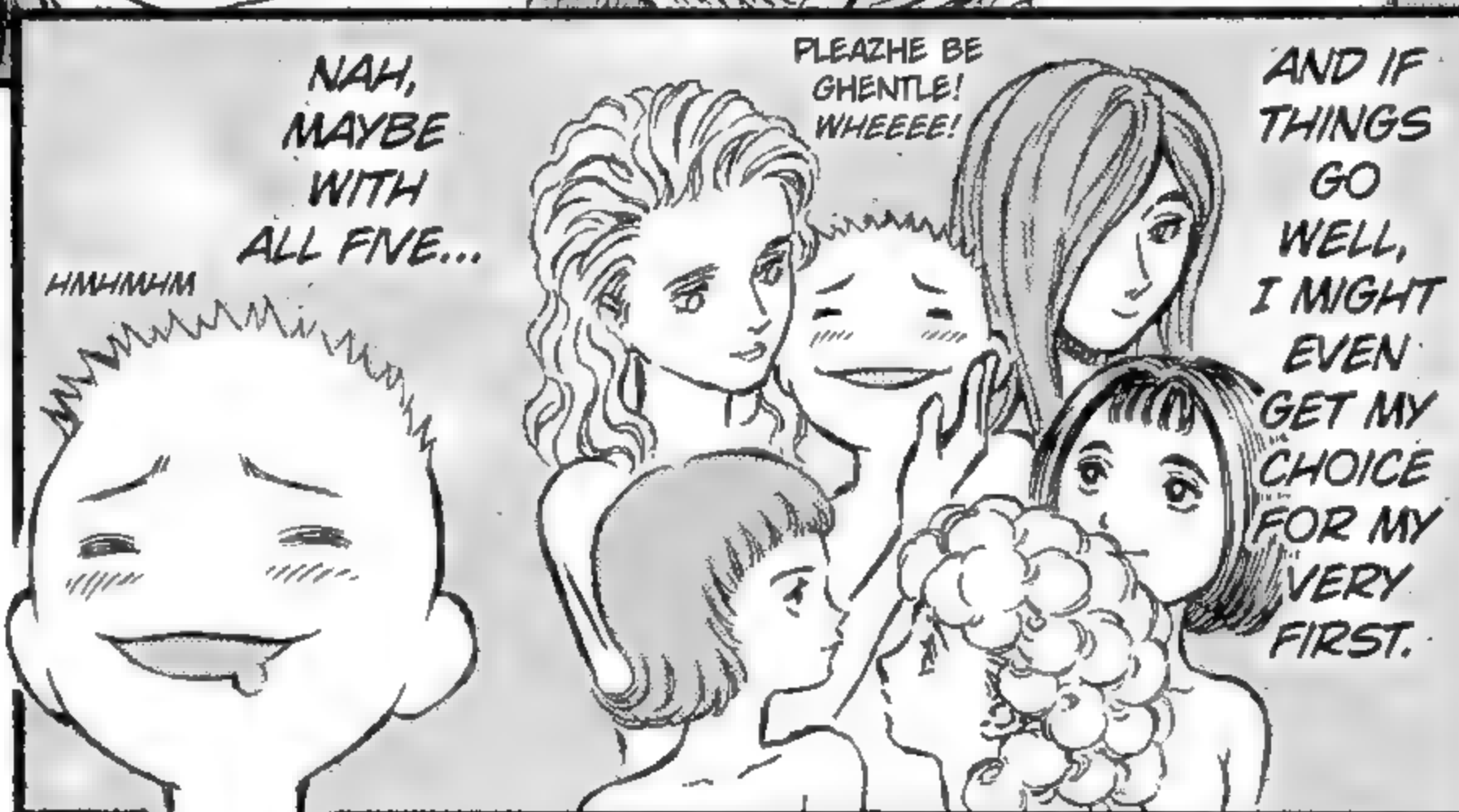
IN THE YEAR
SINCE I RAN
OFF FROM MY
VILLAGE...

NO WAY I'M
NOT GONNA
TAKE IT!!

BUT IT WAS
WORTH IT,
SINCE NOW
THERE'S THIS
BIG CHANCE
DANGLIN' IN
FRONT OF ME.

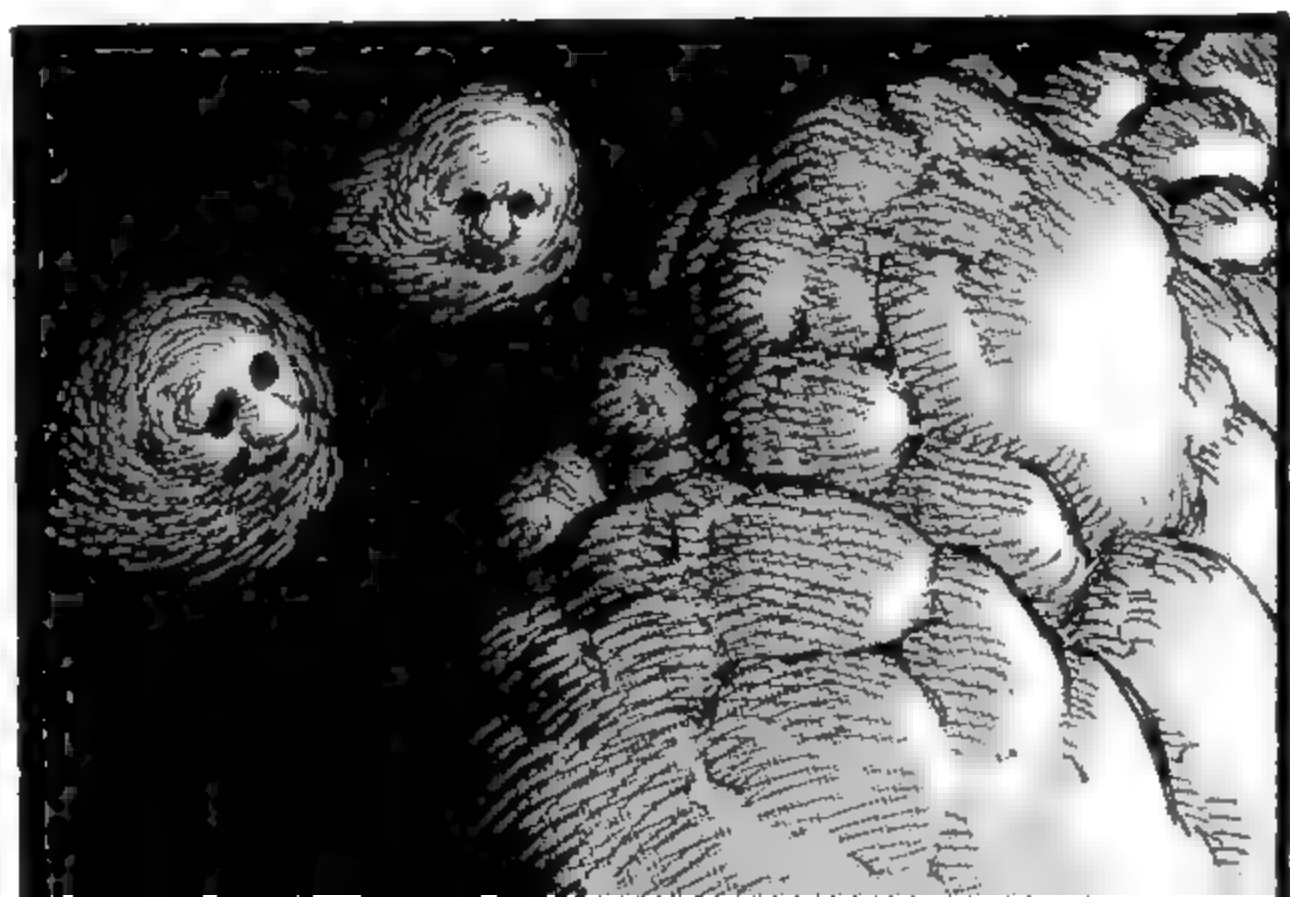
...I CAN OPEN
THE DOOR TO
MY AMBITION!!
NO MATTER
WHAT, I'LL
WIN!!!

IF I
CAN GET
THROUGH
THIS...





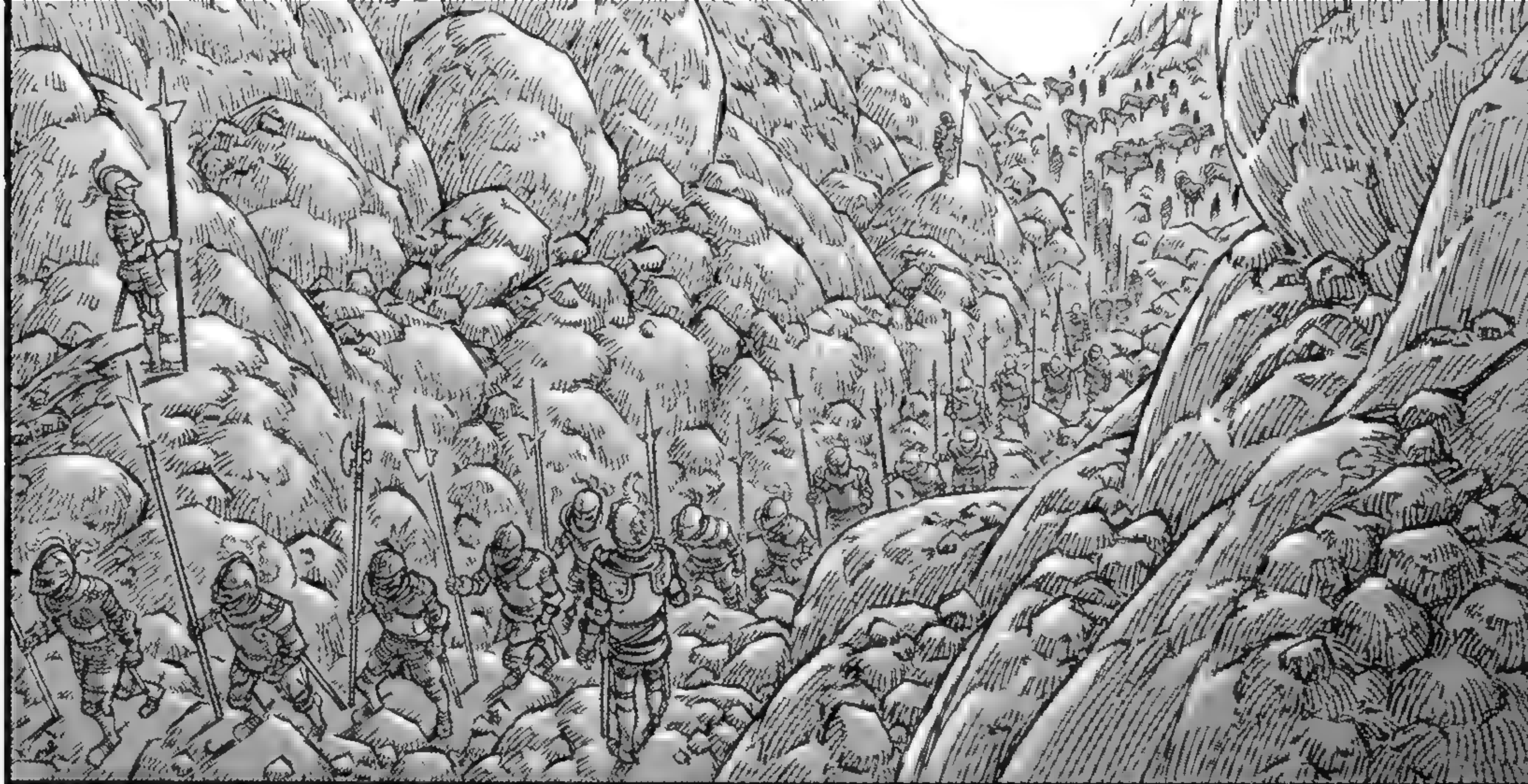
*FX: VOMMMM



WHAT IS
THAT...?



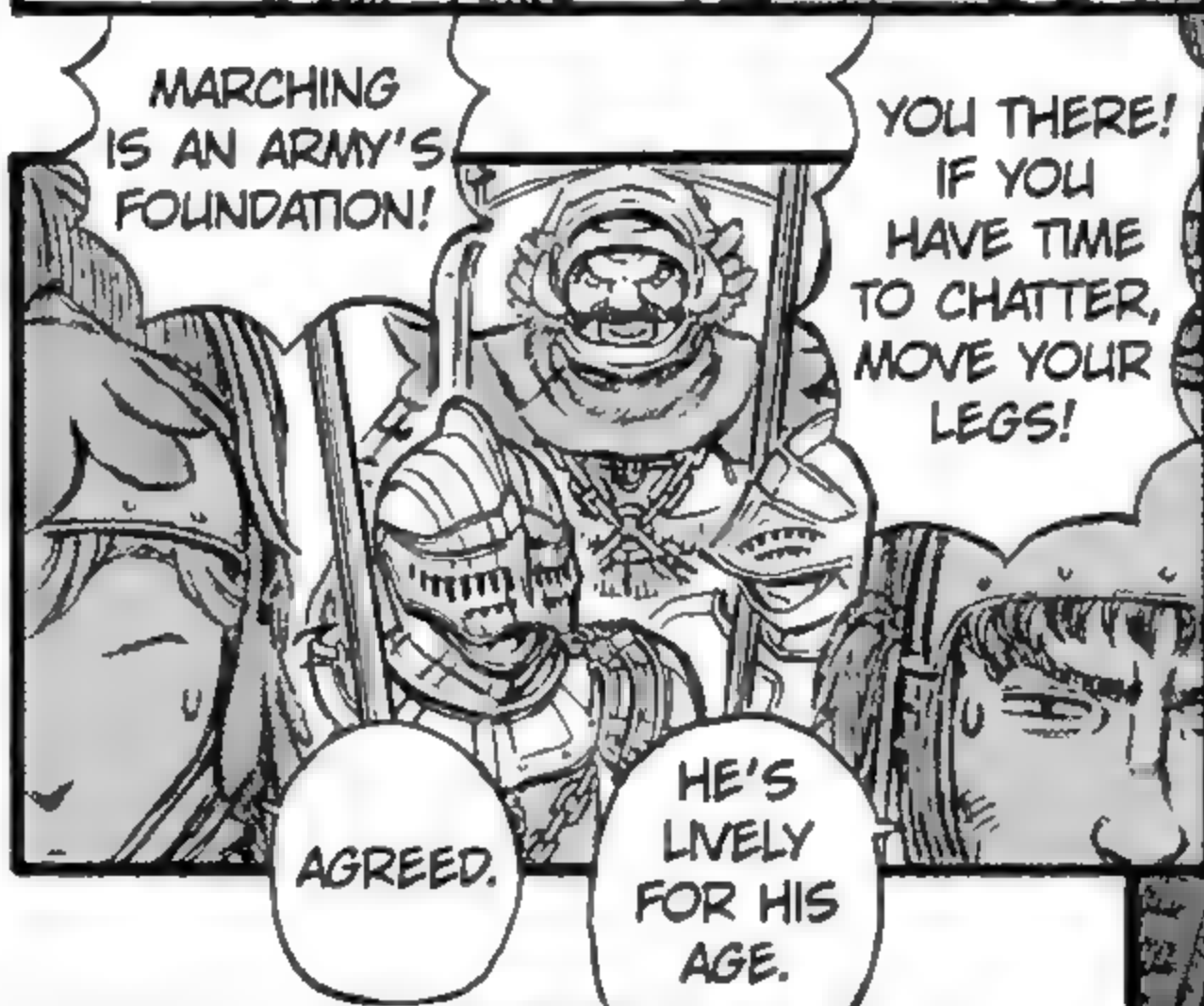
ELAINE.



MOUNTAIN
CLIMBING IN
FULL ARMOR IS
NO JOB FOR
FRAIL
ARISTO-
CRATS.

DAMN IT,
AREN'T WE
KNIGHTS
BECAUSE
WE RIDE
HORSES?

AGREED.



MARCHING
IS AN ARMY'S
FOUNDATION!

YOU THERE!
IF YOU
HAVE TIME
TO CHATTER,
MOVE YOUR
LEGS!

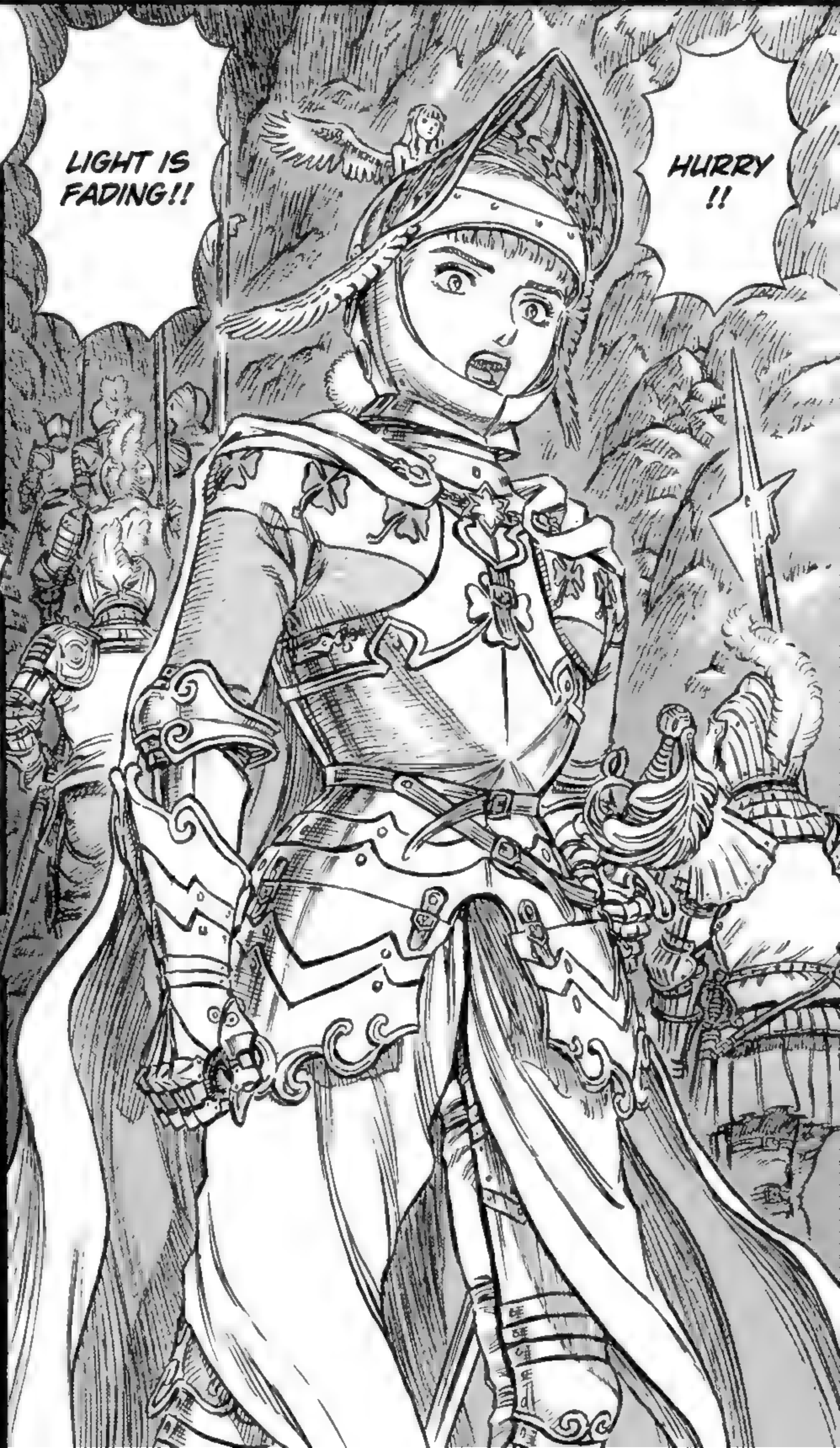
AGREED.

HE'S
LIVELY
FOR HIS
AGE.



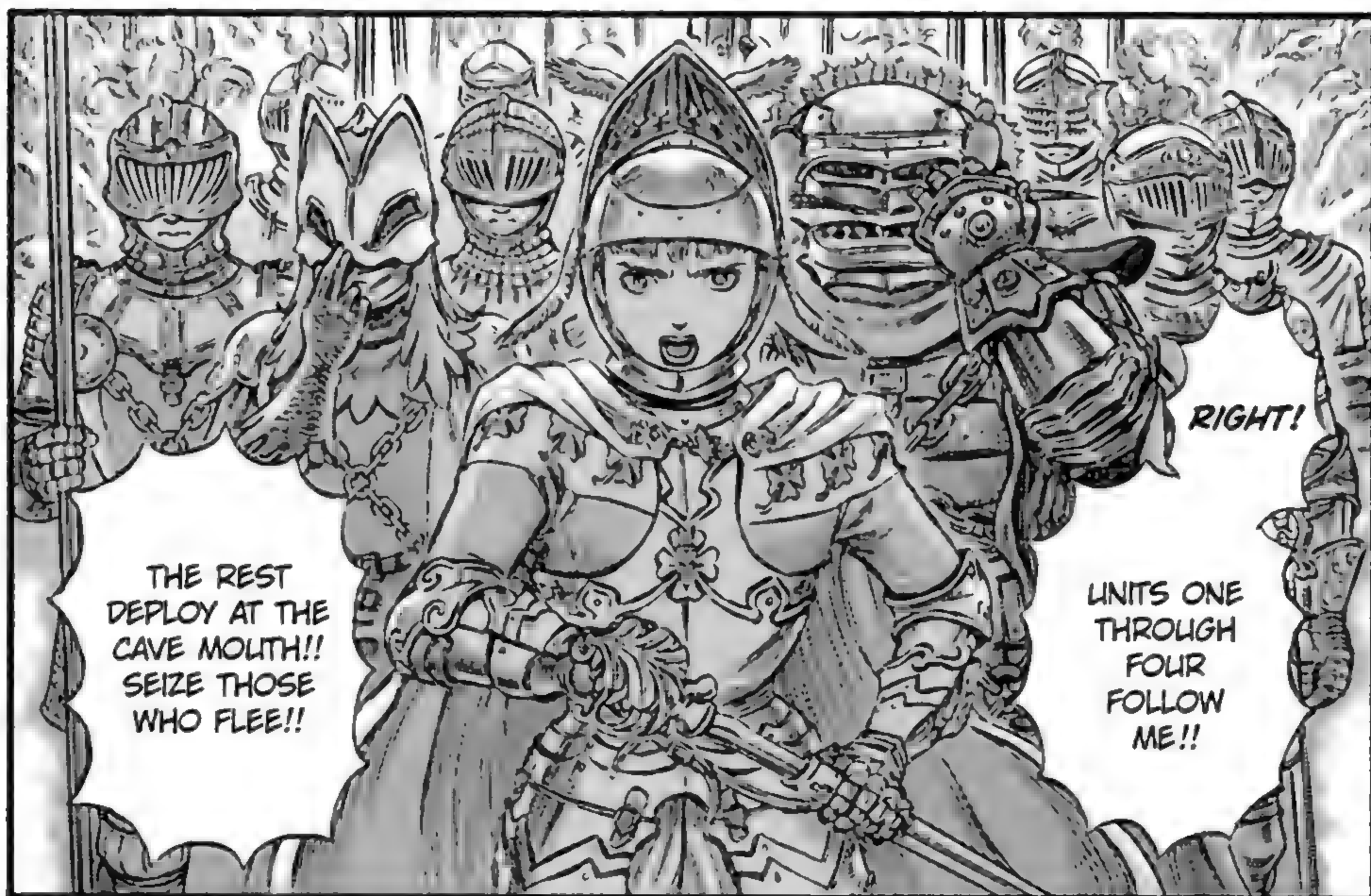
THIS
GRUESOME
DUTY.

I WANT
TO END IT
HERE...



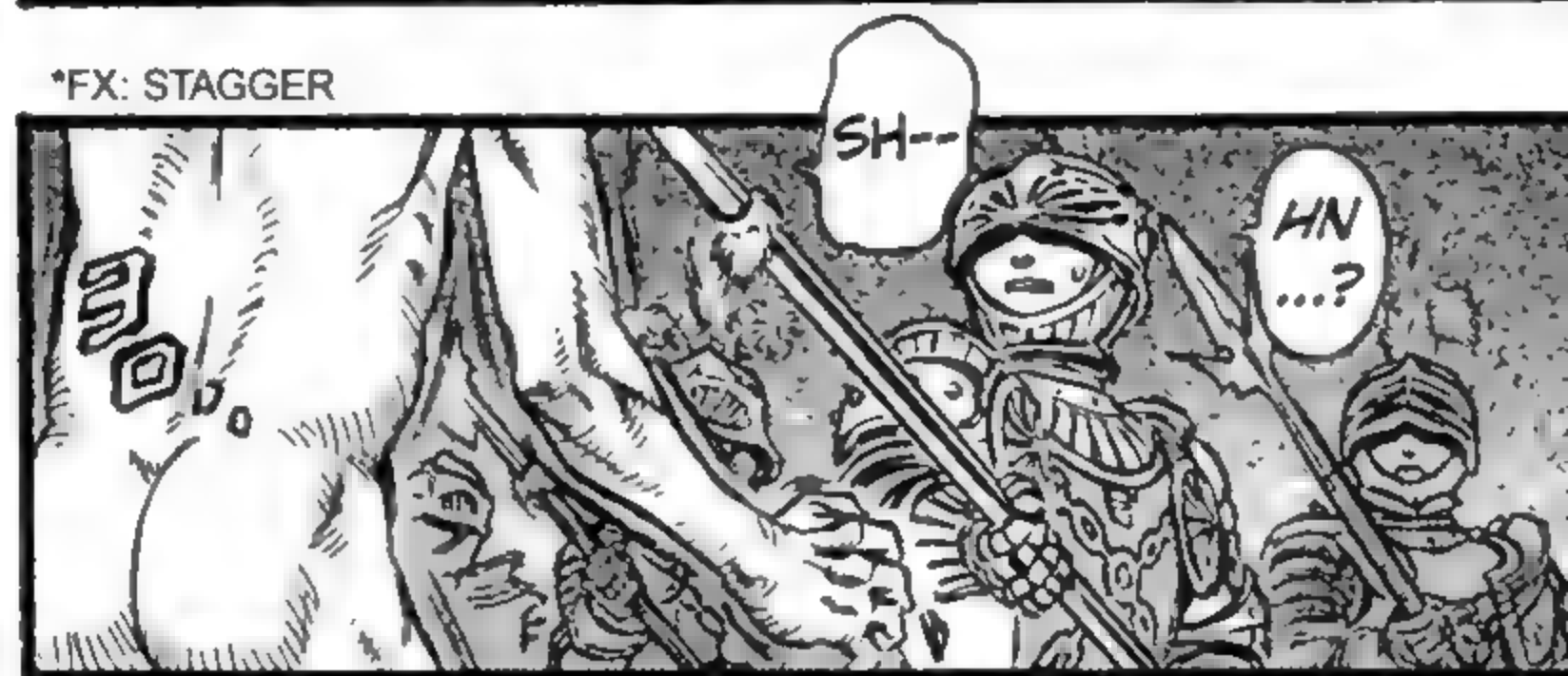
LIGHT IS
FADING!!

HURRY
!!

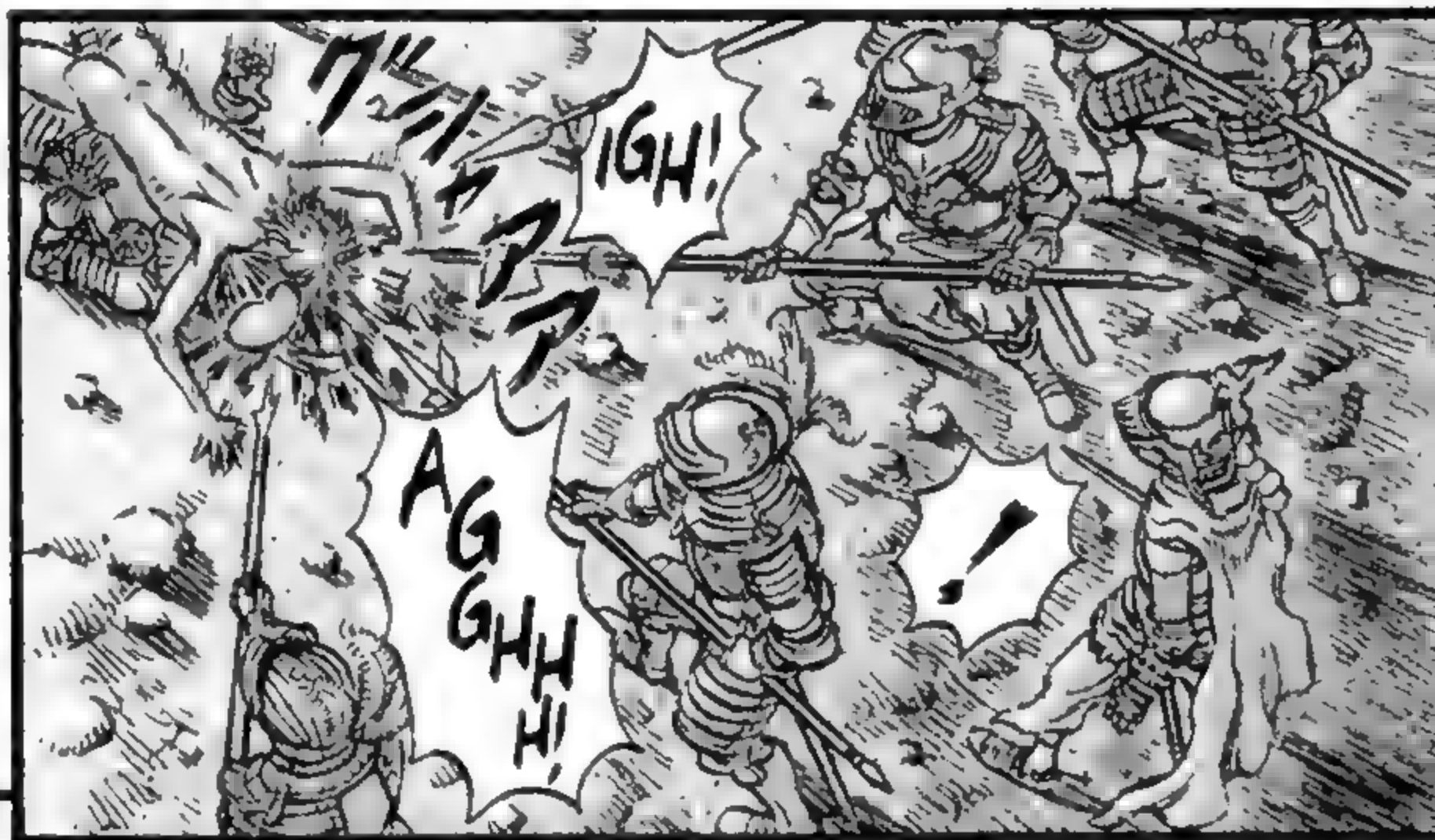


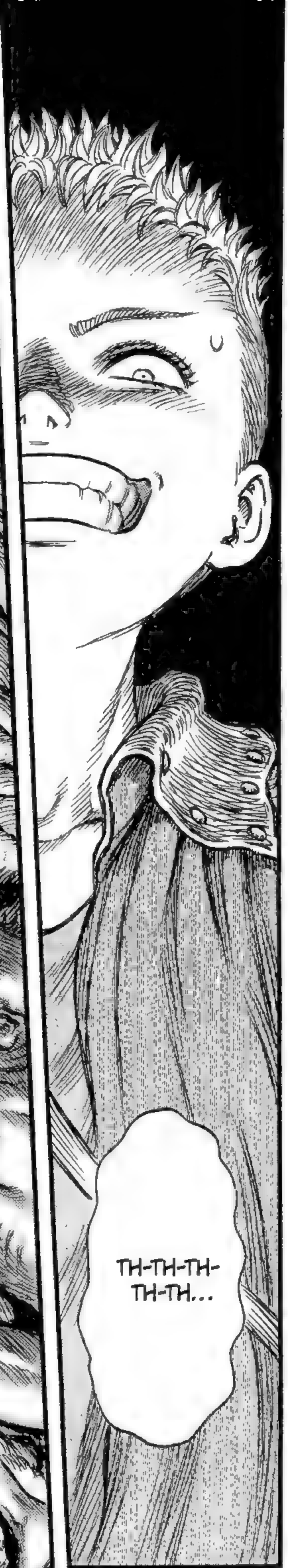


*FX: STAGGER



*FX: GSSSH





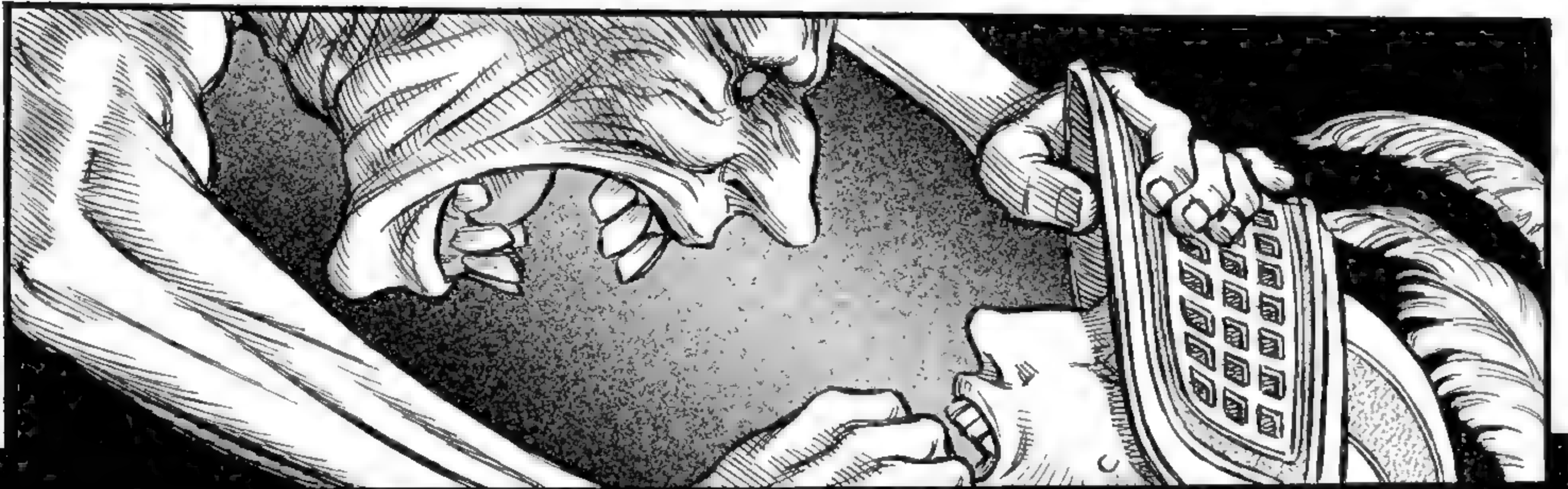
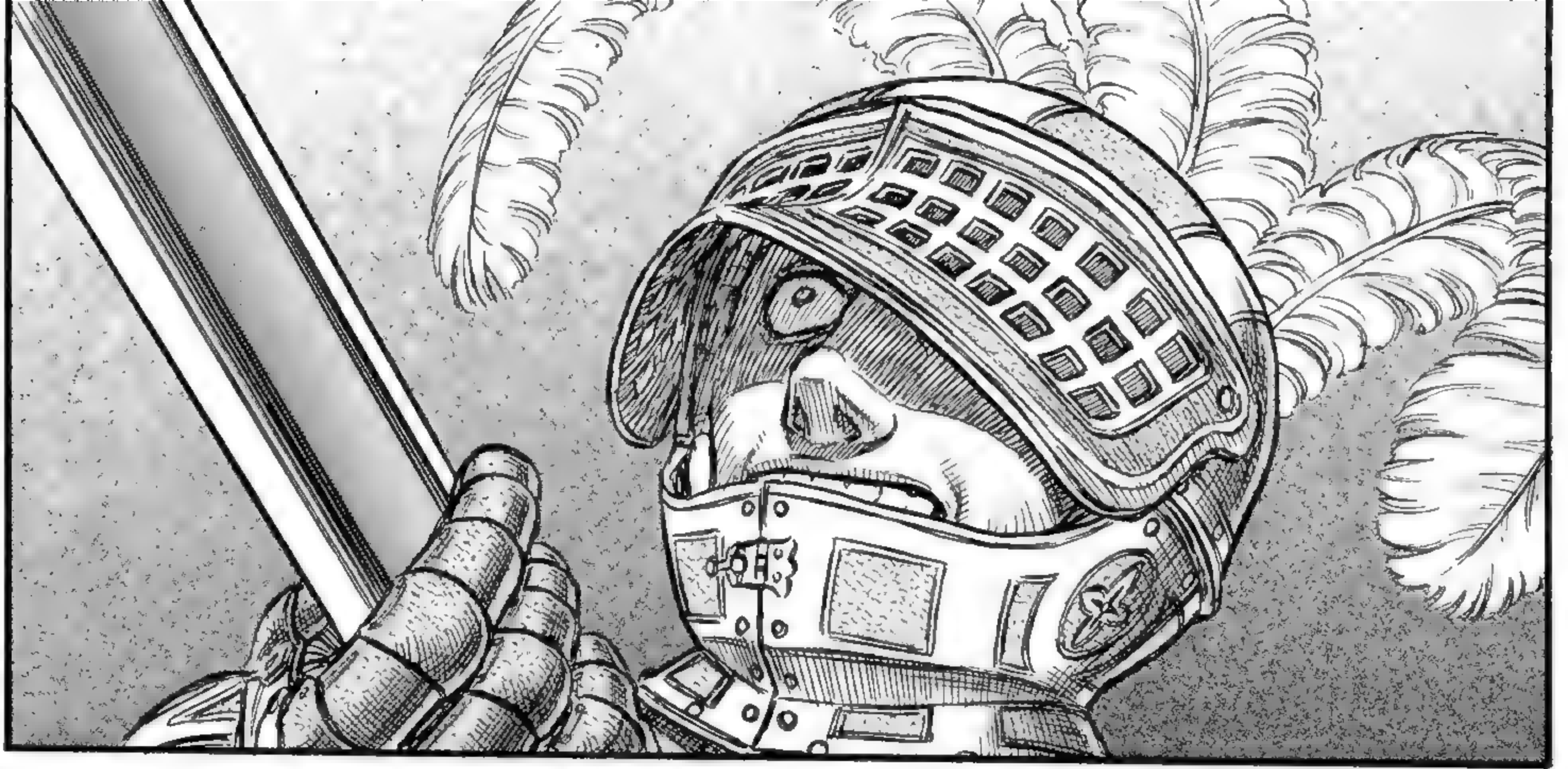
CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
AMBITION BOY: END

**CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY
CHAPTER**

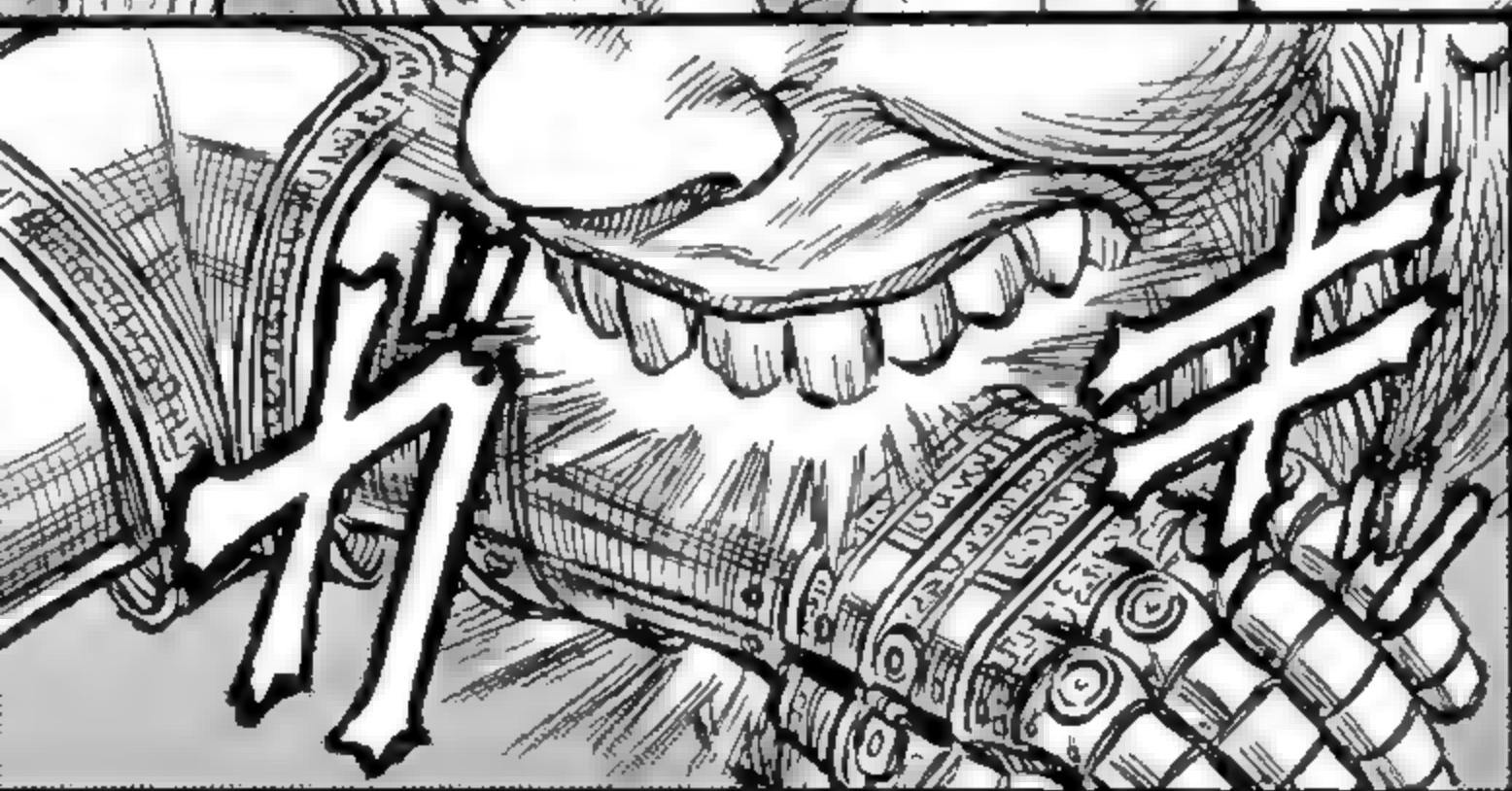
DEN OF EVIL

**断罪篇
生誕祭の章 魔窟**

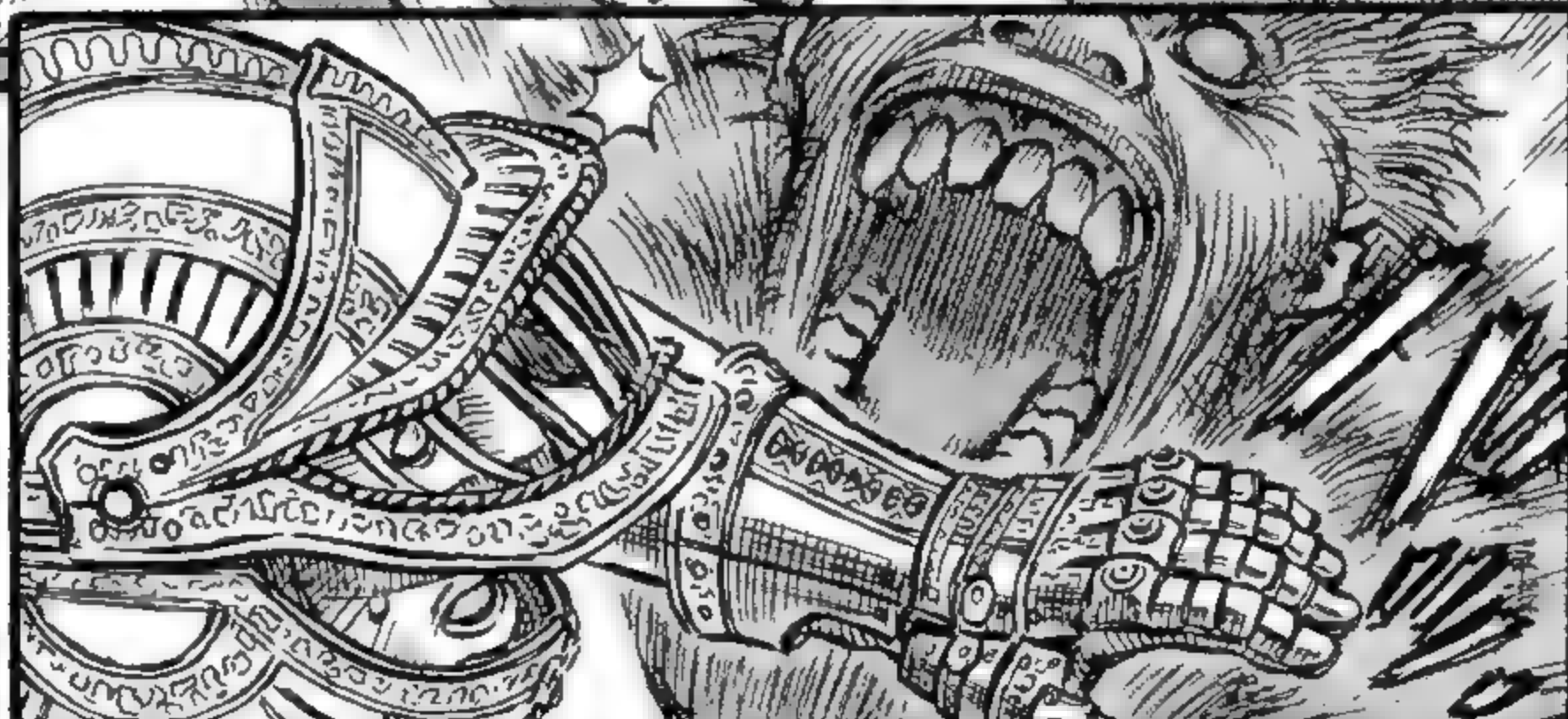
BERSERK







*FX: GACHING



*FX: LUNGE



*FX: KRAK



*FX: KRAK KROK



*FX: HRNK HRNK





UA
HHH!!

YEE!



*FX: WHOM

*FX. CHLOK



VICE-
COMMANDER
AZAN!!



SHAK SHAK



AZAN,
WHAT'S--
?!

HR
R
N!
N!



HNN!

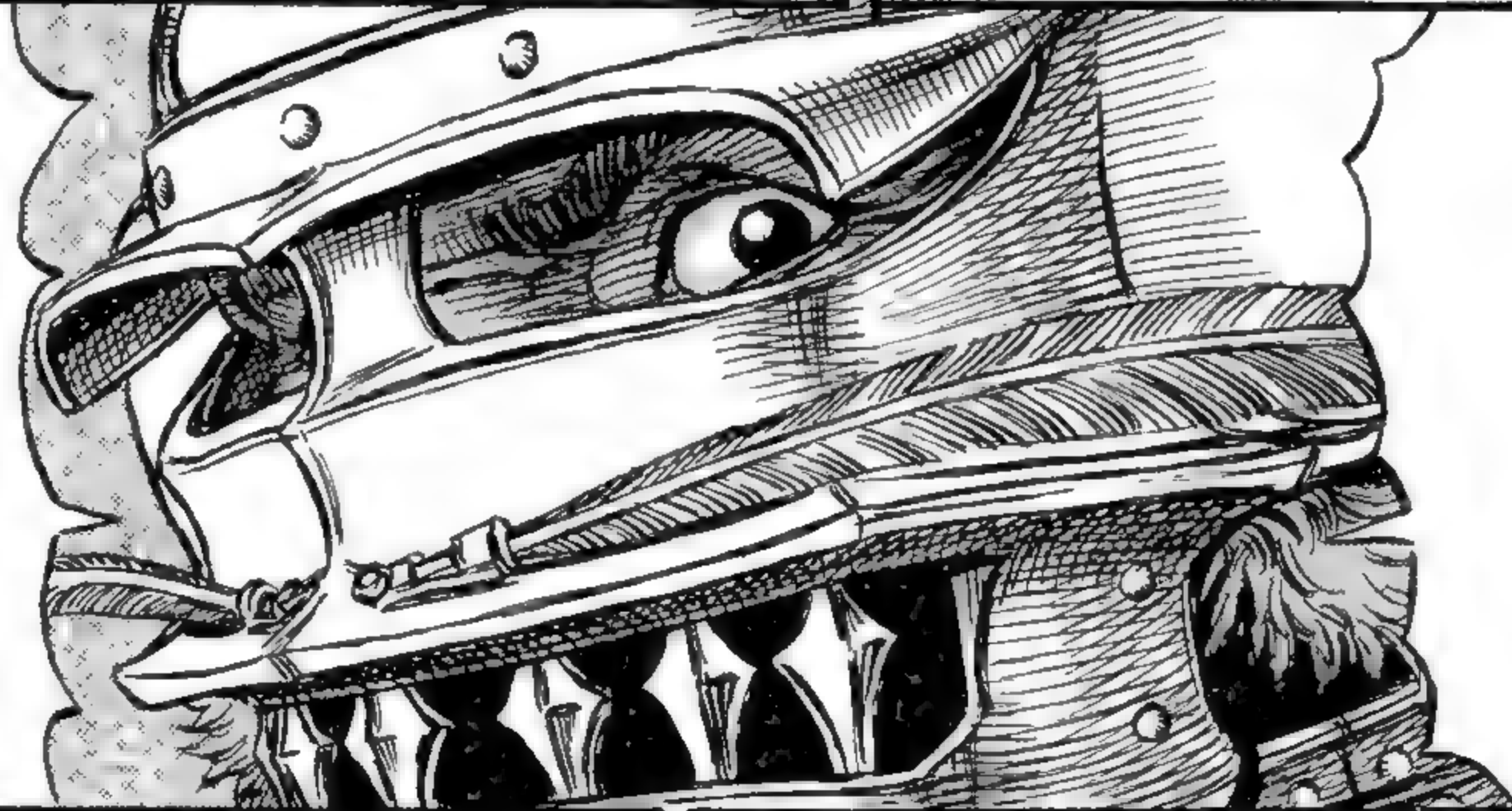
*VNN

OO

*THUDD



PERHAPS
AMONG THEM
ARE SOME THAT
TRANSFORM
MEN INTO
BEASTS SUCH
AS THESE?!



I HEAR THE
HERETICS USE
VARIOUS
DRUGS IN
THEIR BIZARRE
RITUALS !!



...IS LIKE
THAT TIME.

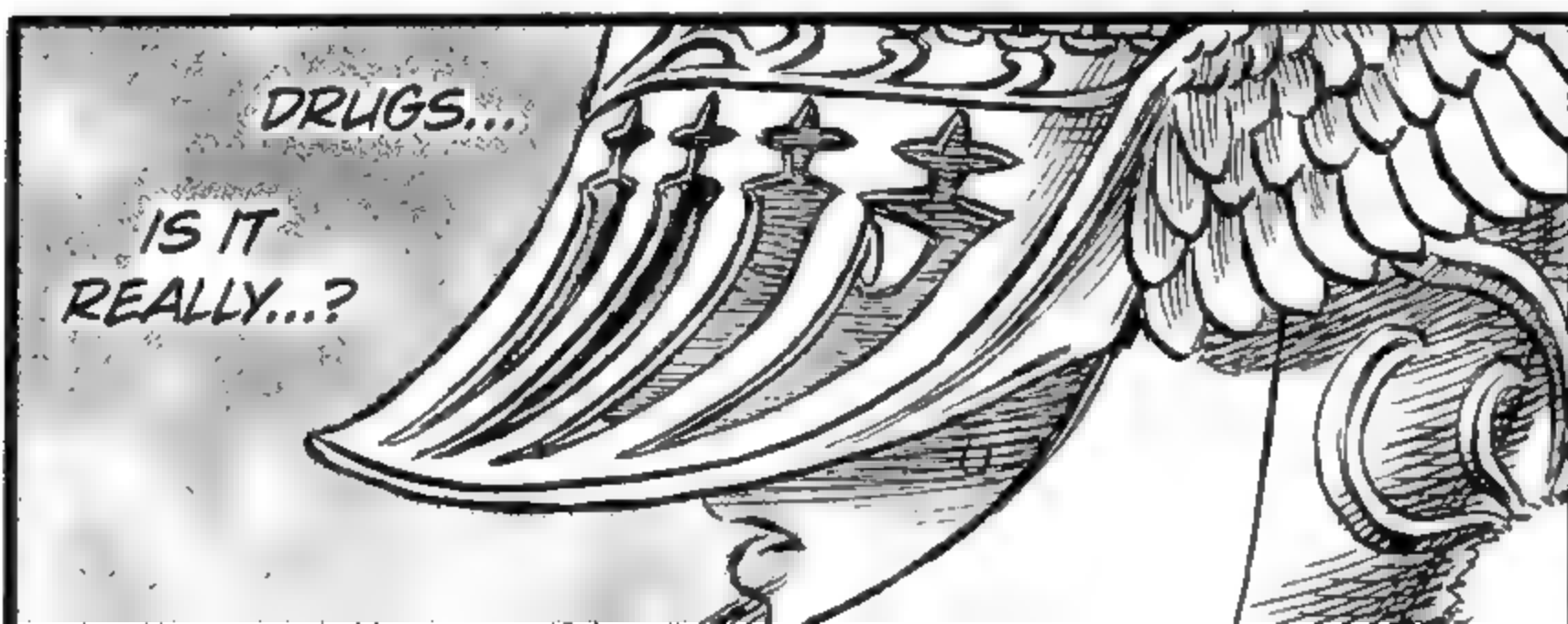
THIS
FEELING...

THIS...

EXERCISE
CAUTION!
THEY SEEM
TO POSSESS
SEVERAL TIMES
THE STRENGTH
OF ORDINARY
MEN!



D-DRUGS.
OF
COURSE...



DRUGS...

IS IT
REALLY...?





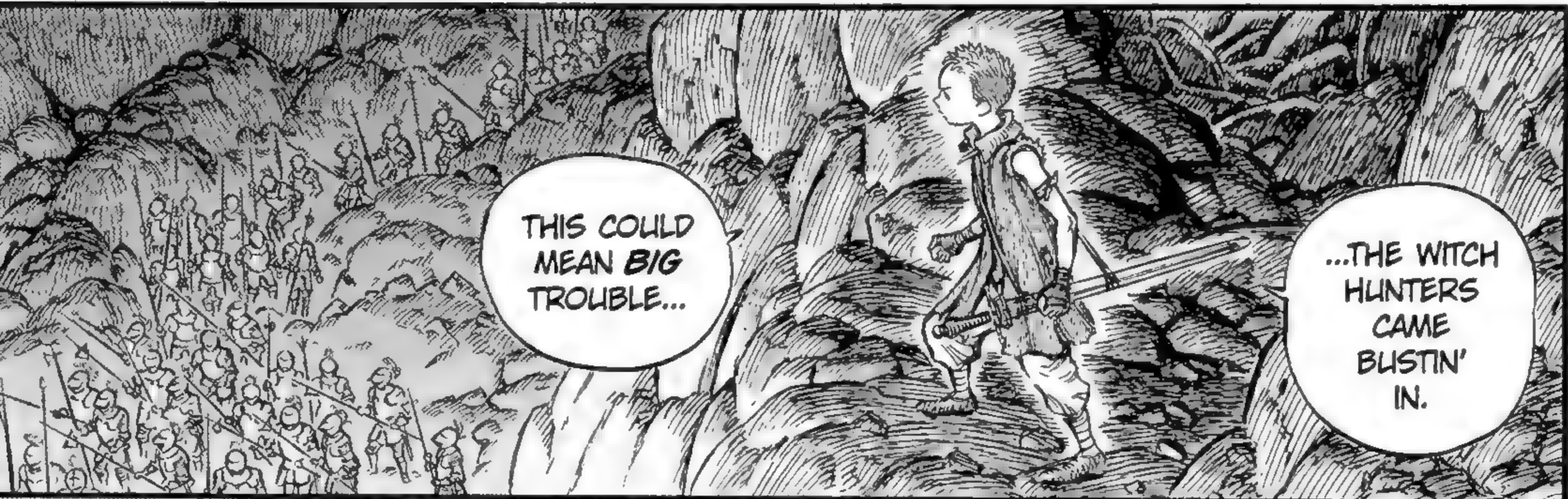
"THEN
SUDDENLY..."

"EARLIER,
IT LOOKED LIKE
THE SMOKE
SWOOPED DOWN
ON THEM LIKE IT
WAS ALIVE."



THINGS
GOT CRAZY
ALL OF A
SUDDEN.

WHAT THE
HELL'S
GOIN' ON,
THOUGH?



THIS COULD
MEAN **BIG**
TROUBLE...

...THE WITCH
HUNTERS
CAME
BLUSTIN'
IN.



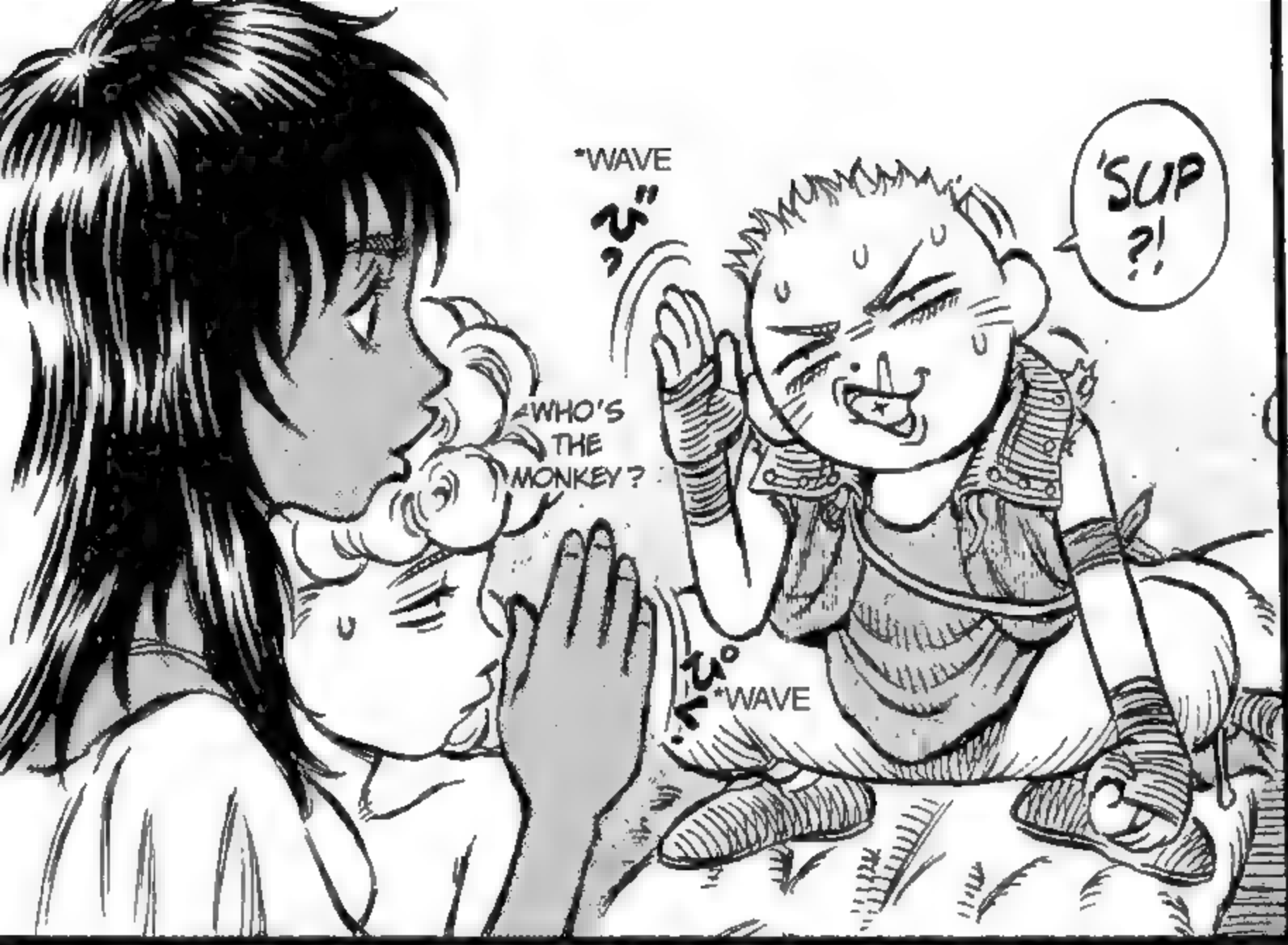
NO, WAIT...
ALL THAT COULD
RUN INTERFERENCE
WHILE I
SNATCH
THE
GIRLS...

K!



*FX: TRIP





*FX: DRIP DRIP DRIP *FX: BATHUMP BATHUMP BATHUMP BATHUMP

*FX: FLINCH



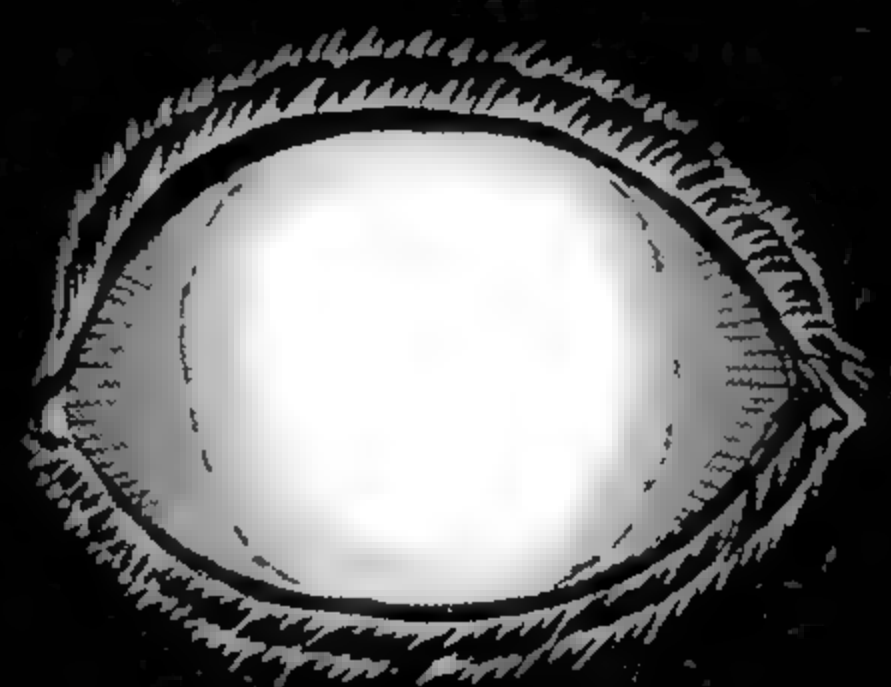
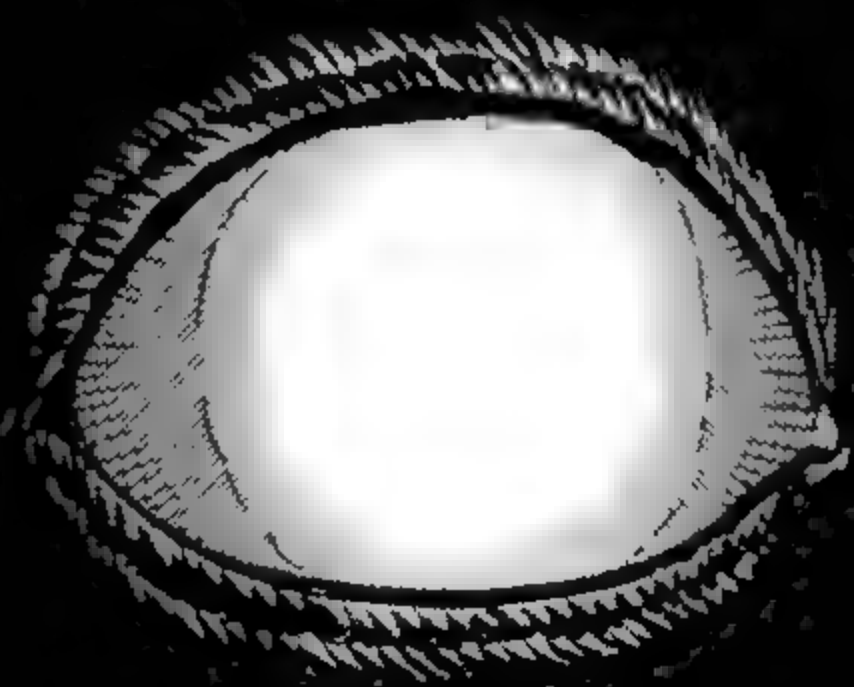
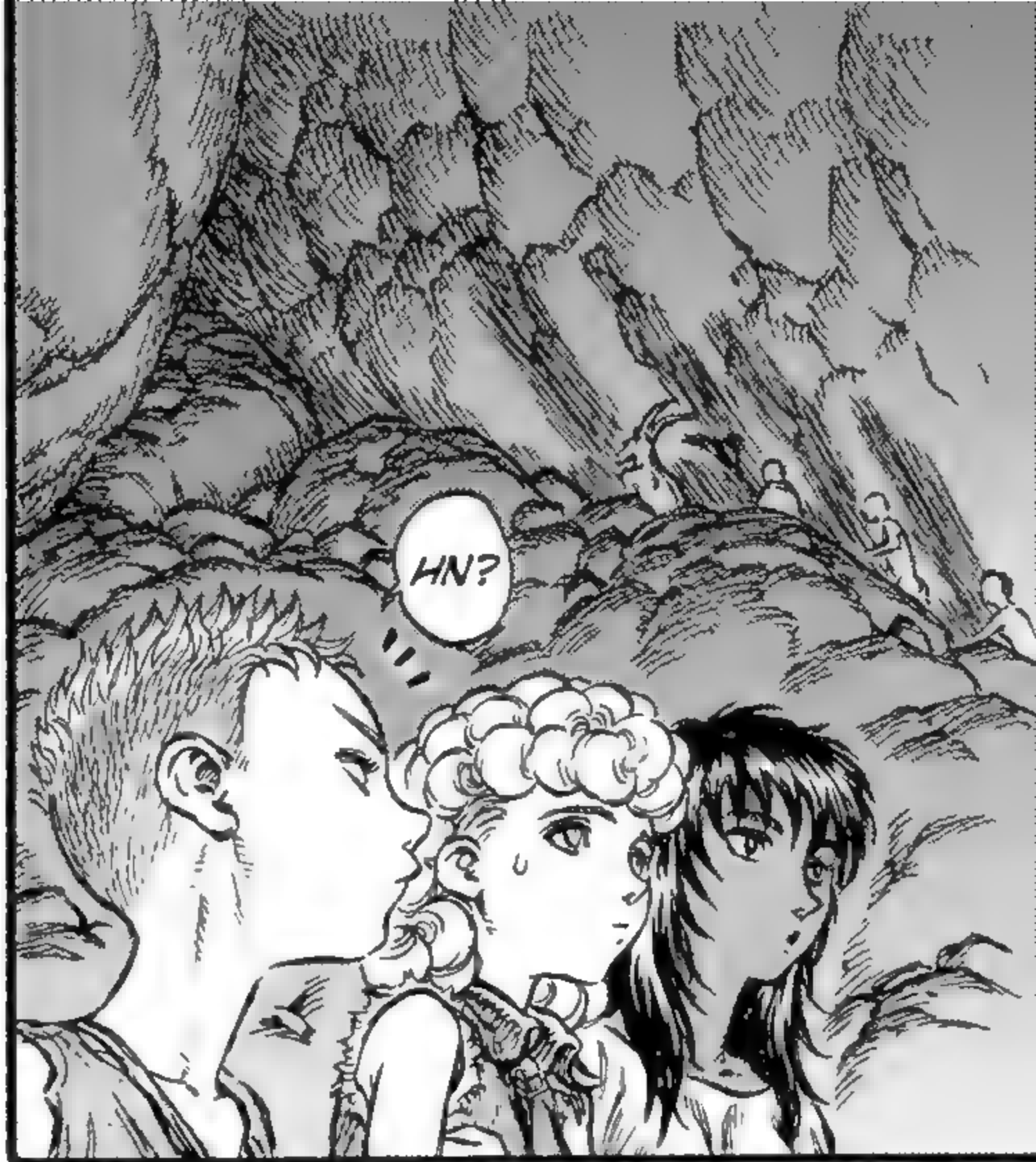
*FX: SPRING

*ZOCK



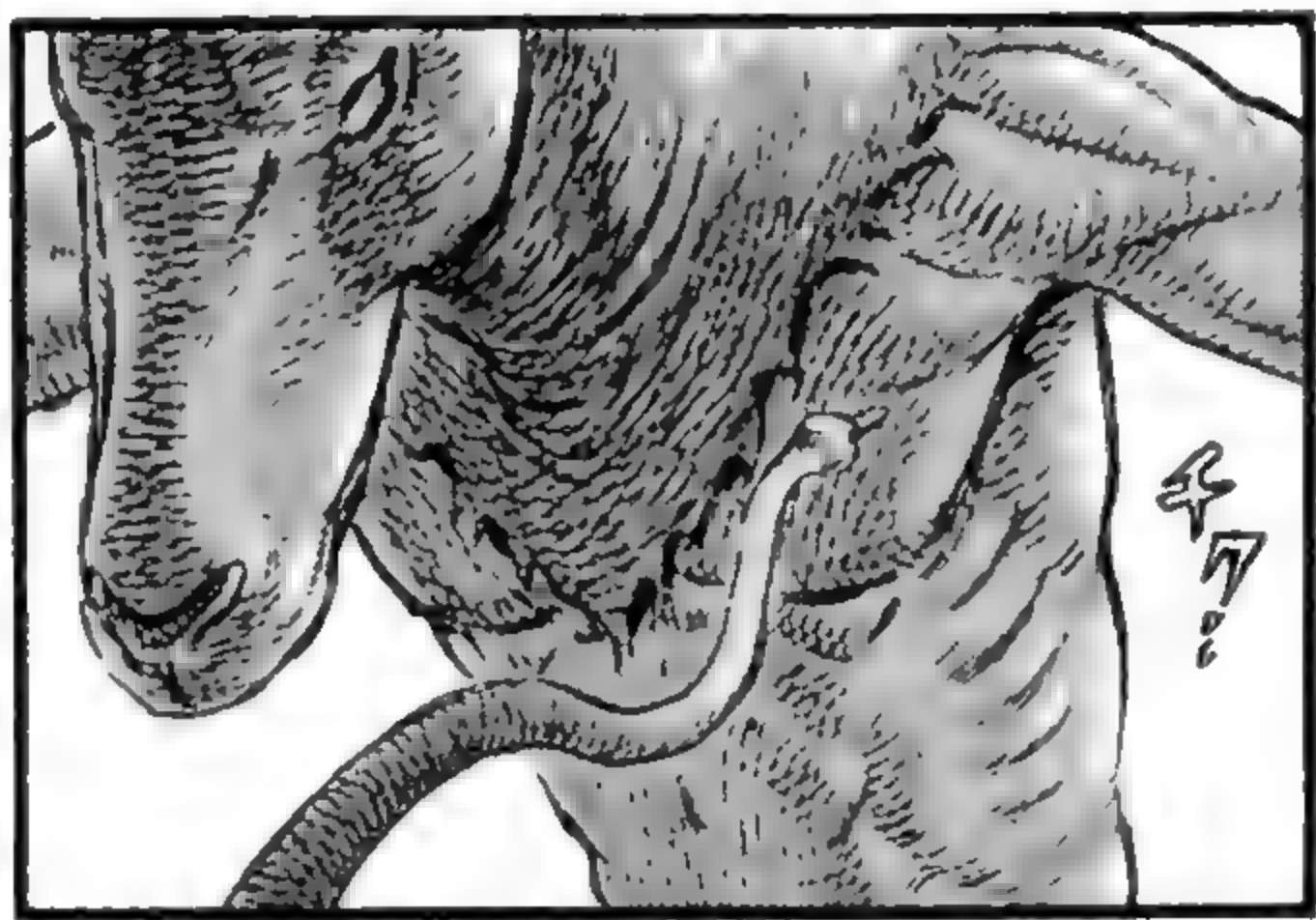
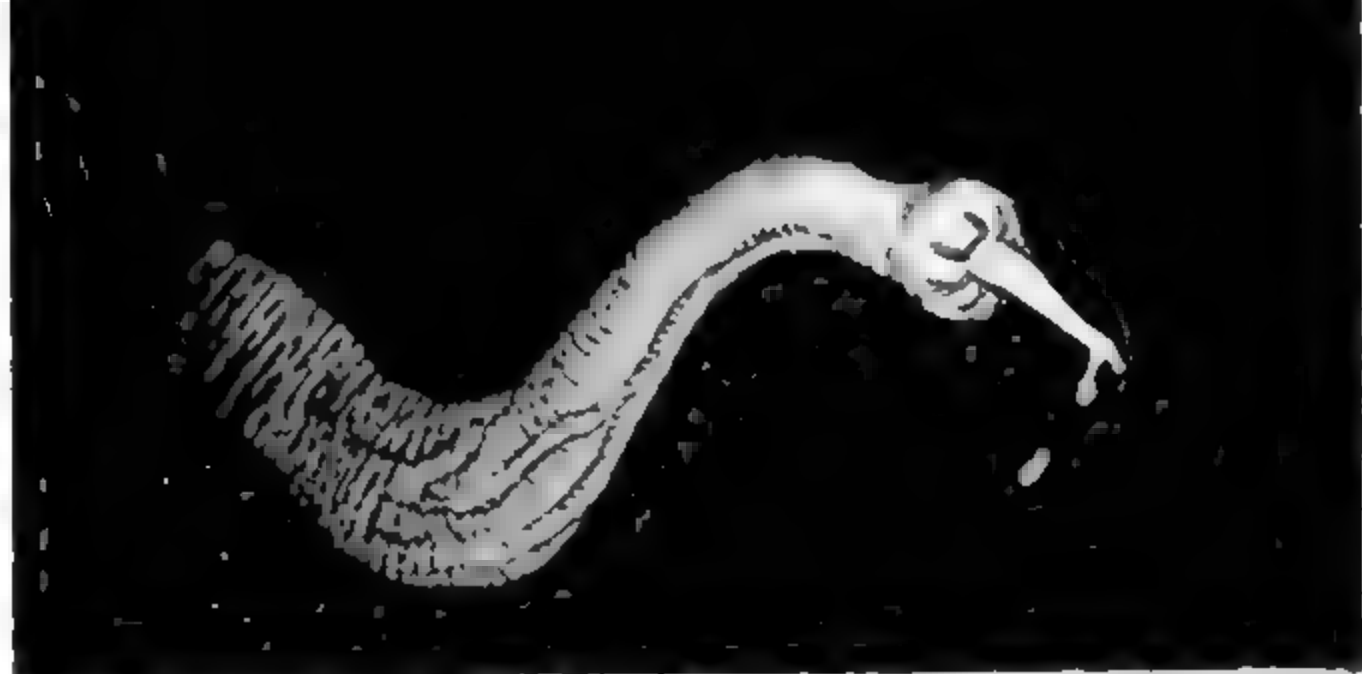
*FX: GOFF GOFF



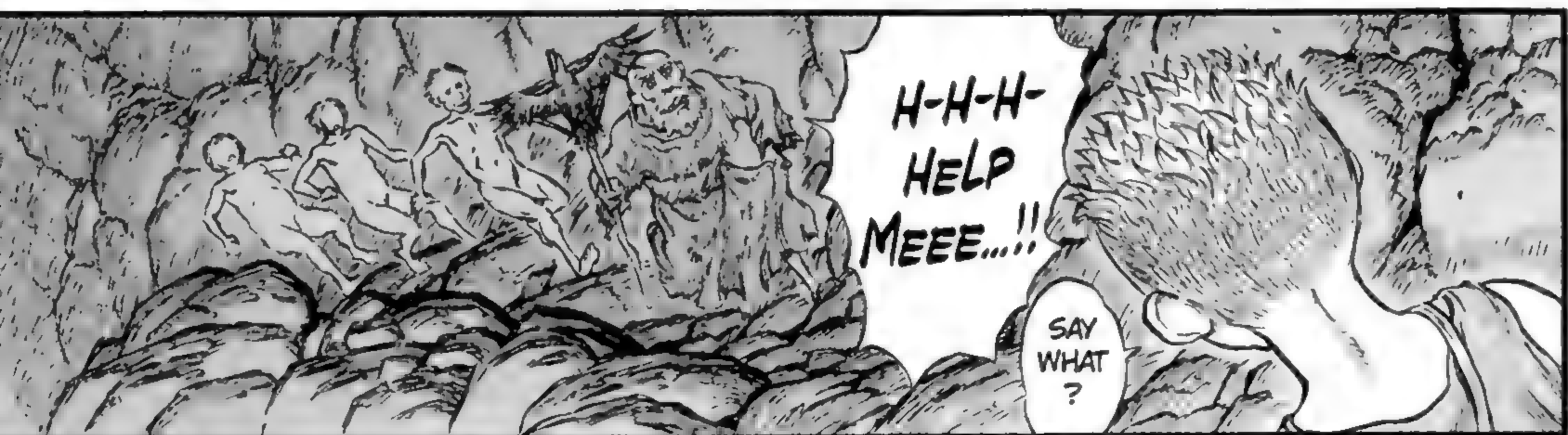




*FX UWAAAAH



*FX CHIK



*NNEH-EH-EH-EH

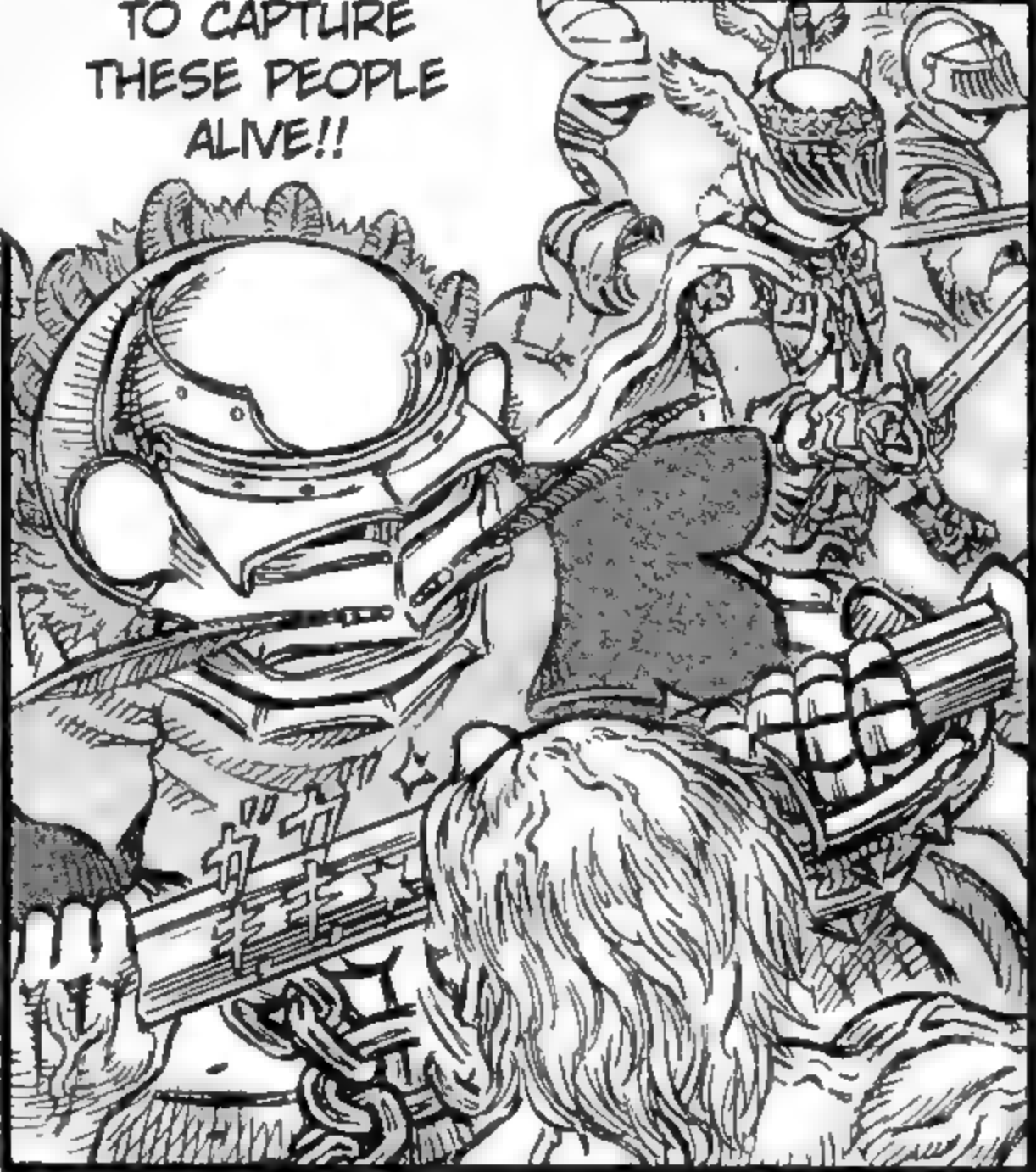


*GAKINNG





LADY FARNESE!!
IT IS IMPOSSIBLE
TO CAPTURE
THESE PEOPLE
ALIVE!!



*FX: GRAK GRAK



AAAAA!



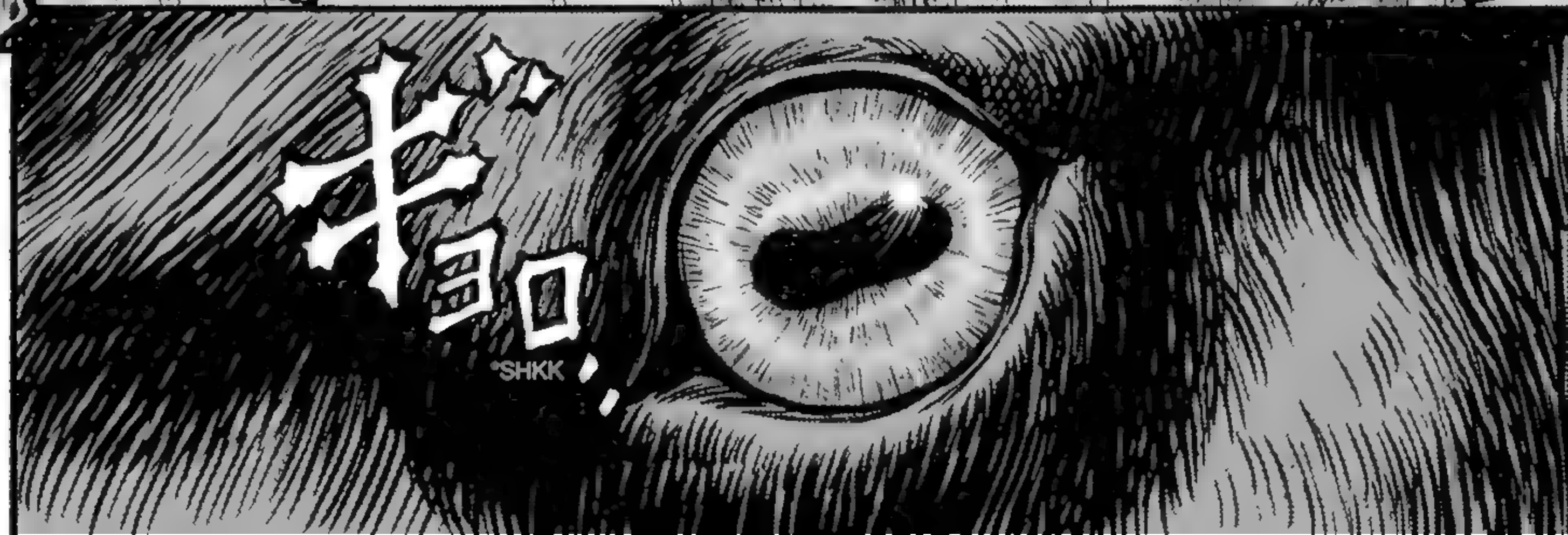
A
CHILD?

...TO
WITHDRAW
AND WAIT
FOR
THEM TO
REGAIN
THEIR
RIGHT
MINDS...

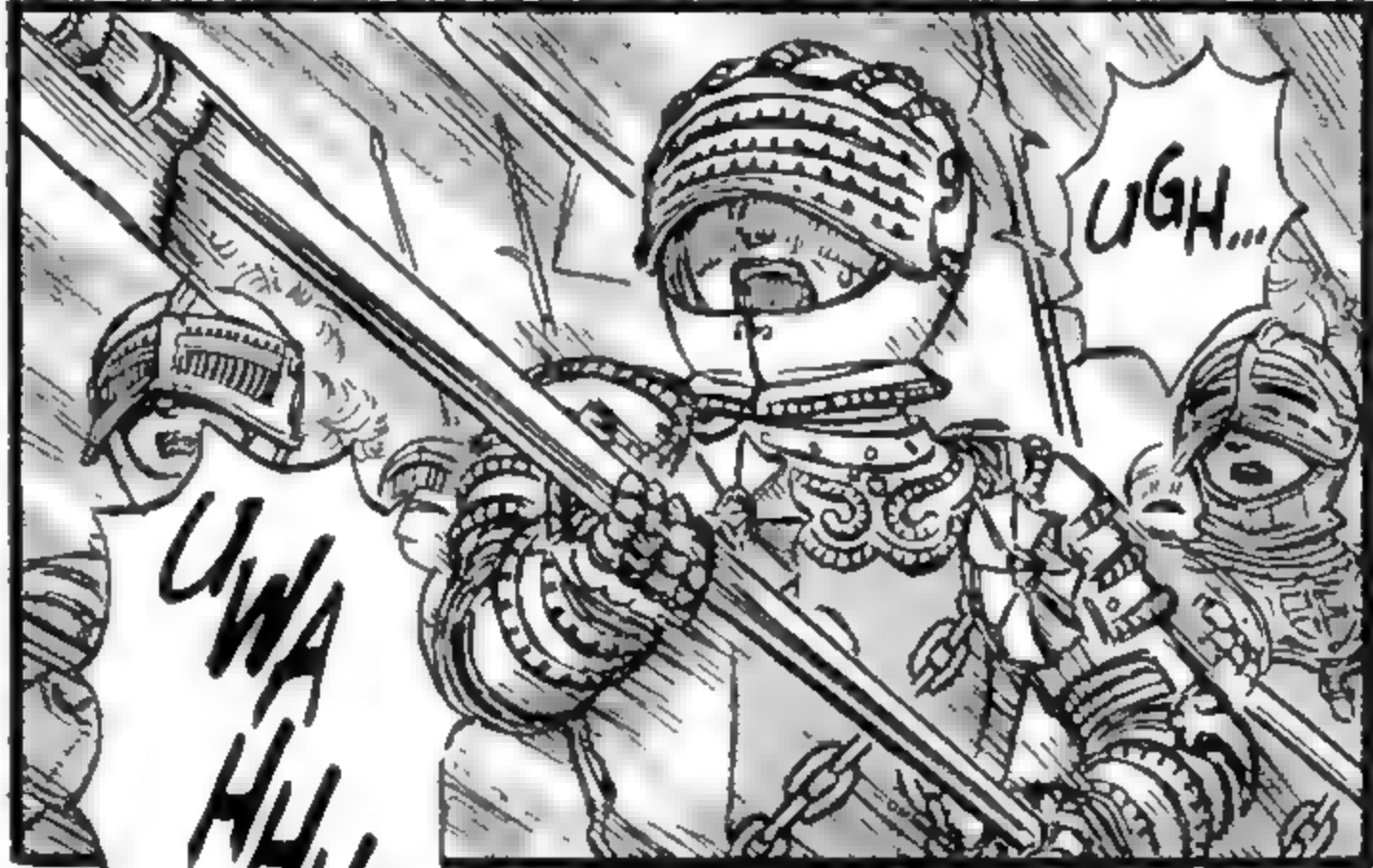
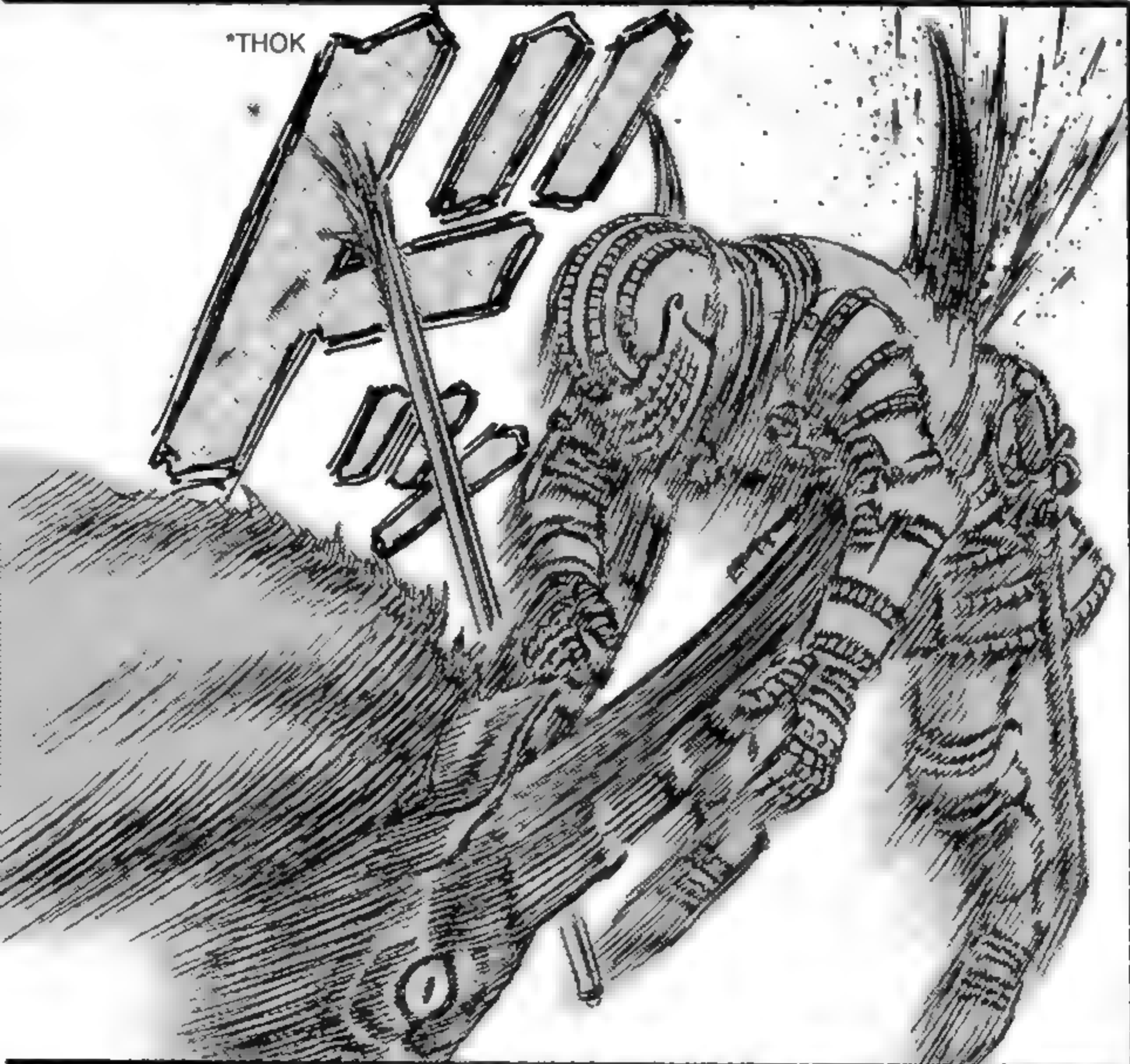
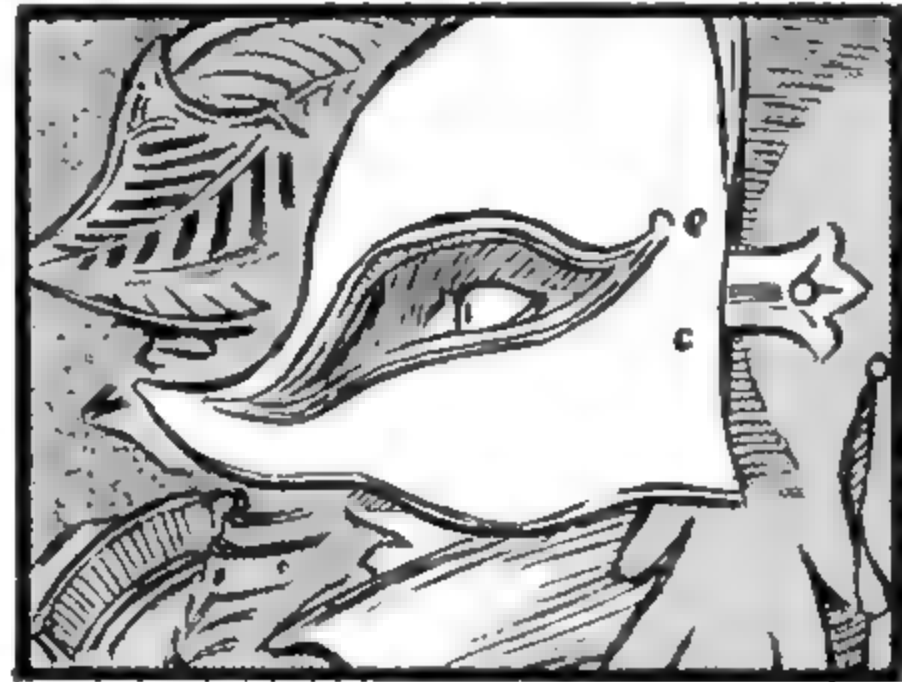
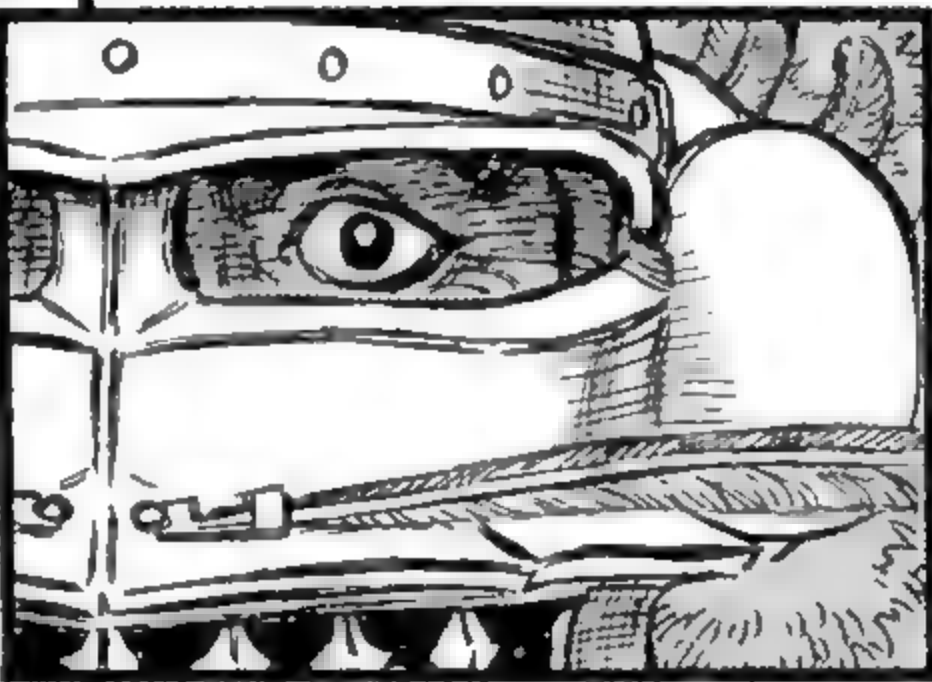
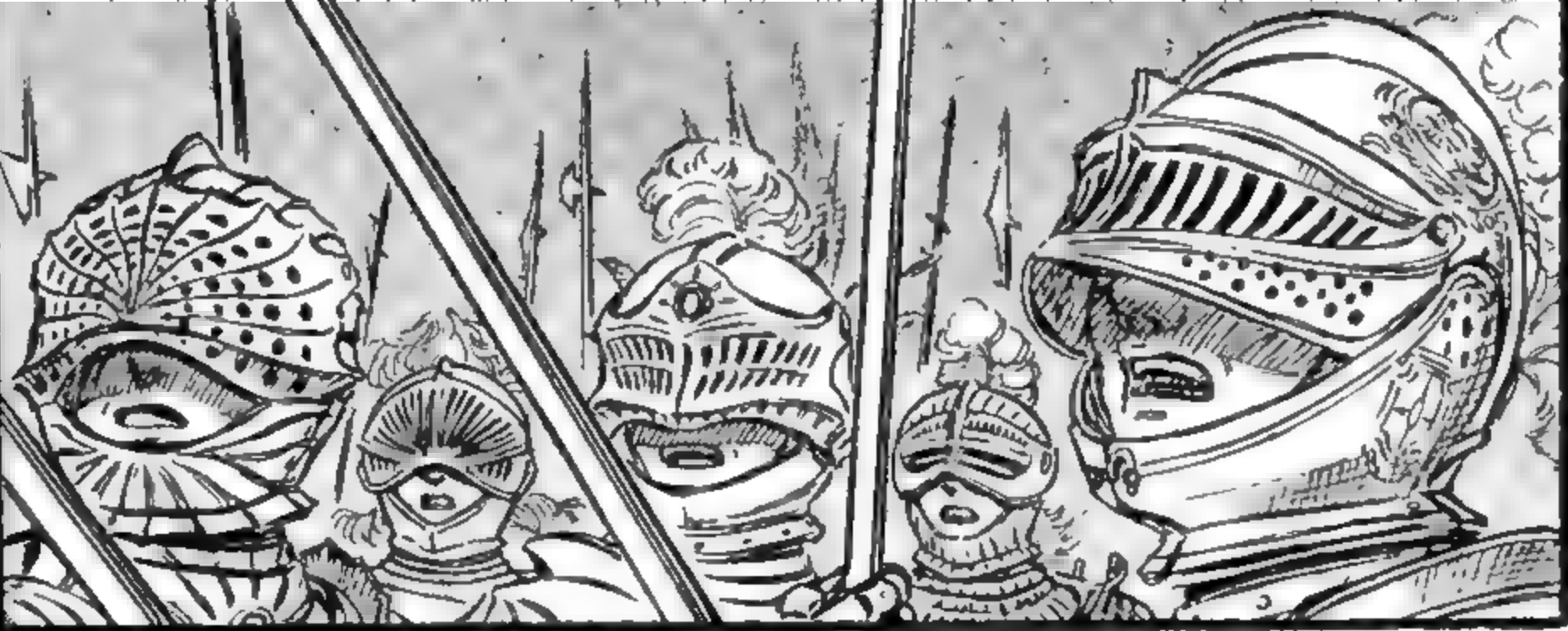
PERHAPS
IT WOULD
BE
BETTER...

W-WELL
SPOKEN.

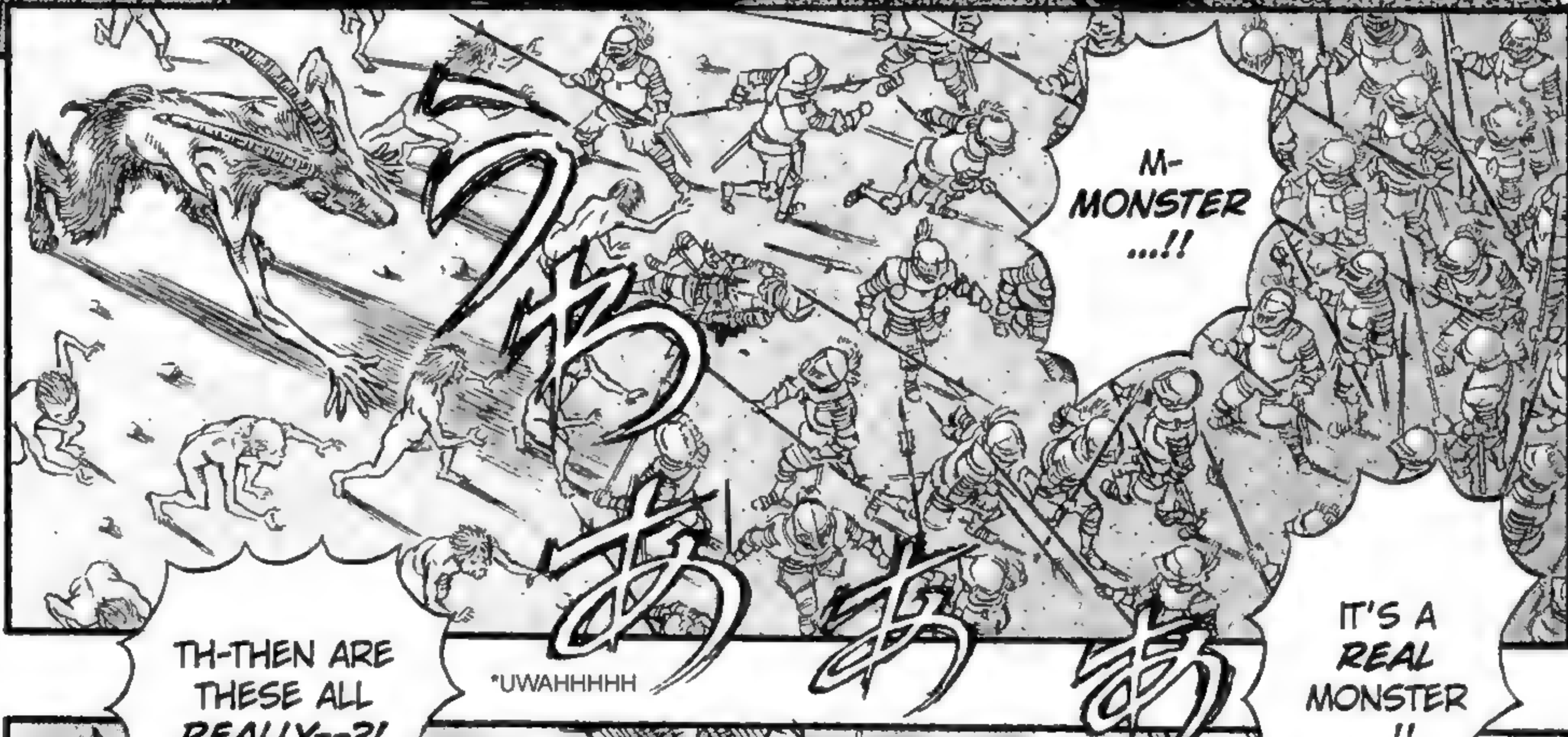








*NNNEH-EH-EH-EH-EH

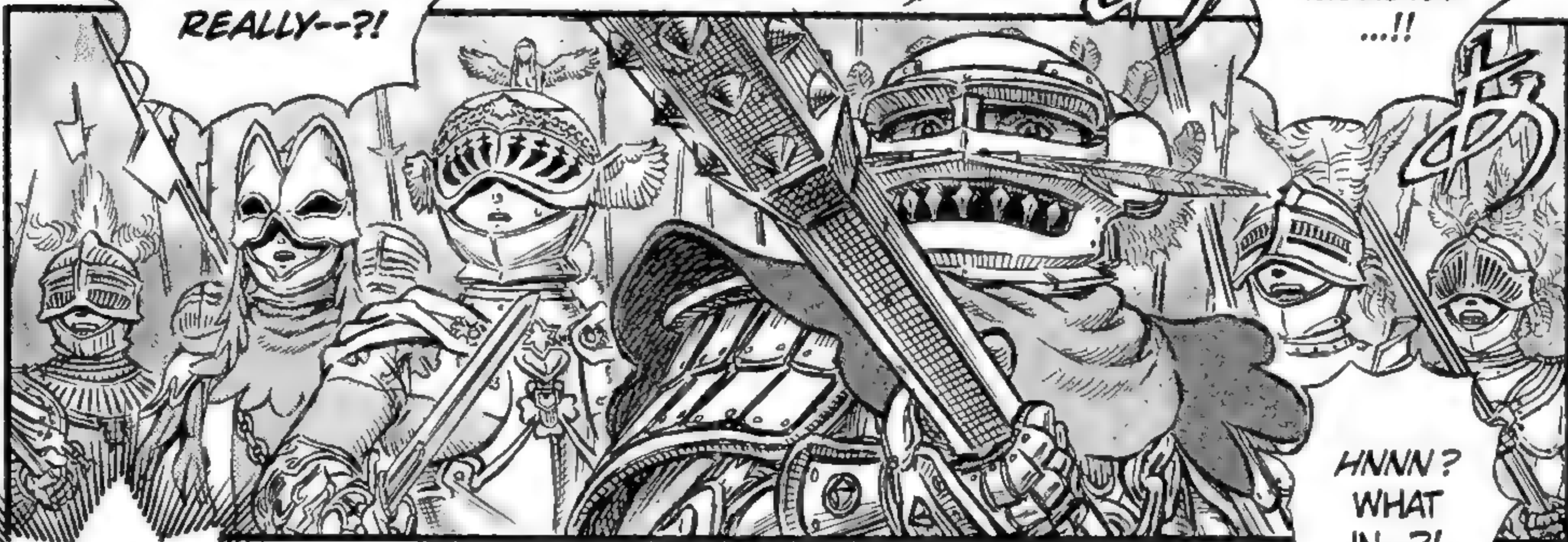


M-
MONSTER
...!!

TH-THEN ARE
THESE ALL
REALLY--?!

*UWAHHHHH

IT'S A
REAL
MONSTER
...!!



HNNN?
WHAT
IN...?!

IT'S THE
SAME...

*BATHUMP





...THAT
NIGHT.

THE SAME
AS...

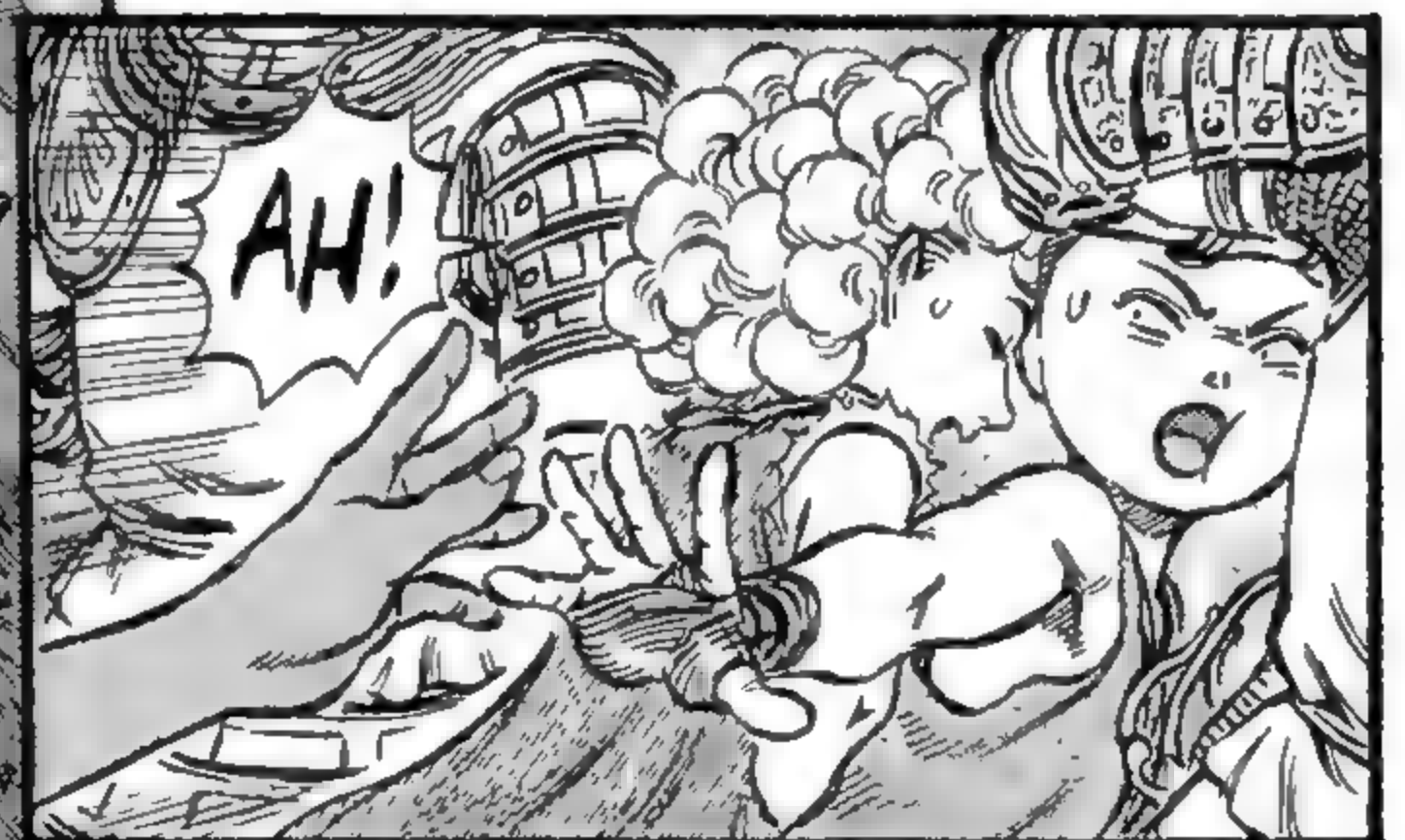


*HNAHHHH



AREN'T
YOU GLYS
KNIGHTS?!
STAND YOUR
GROUND
AND FIGHT,
COWARDS
!!

*FX: WAHHH WAHHH WAHHH



AH!

*FX: WHMP



AH
...



I COULD
SURE USE
A STRONG
DRINK.

WHEW...
IT'S COLD.
WHAT A
TIME TO
BE IN
FULL
ARMOR.



SOUNDS LIKE
IT'S REALLY
ROUGH INSIDE
THERE...



YOU FEEL
GUILTY FOR
SQUEALING?

SOMEONE
YOU KNOW
DOWN
THERE?



WHAT'S
WRONG,
GLIDE?
YOU'RE SO
GLOOMY.

*FX: PAT



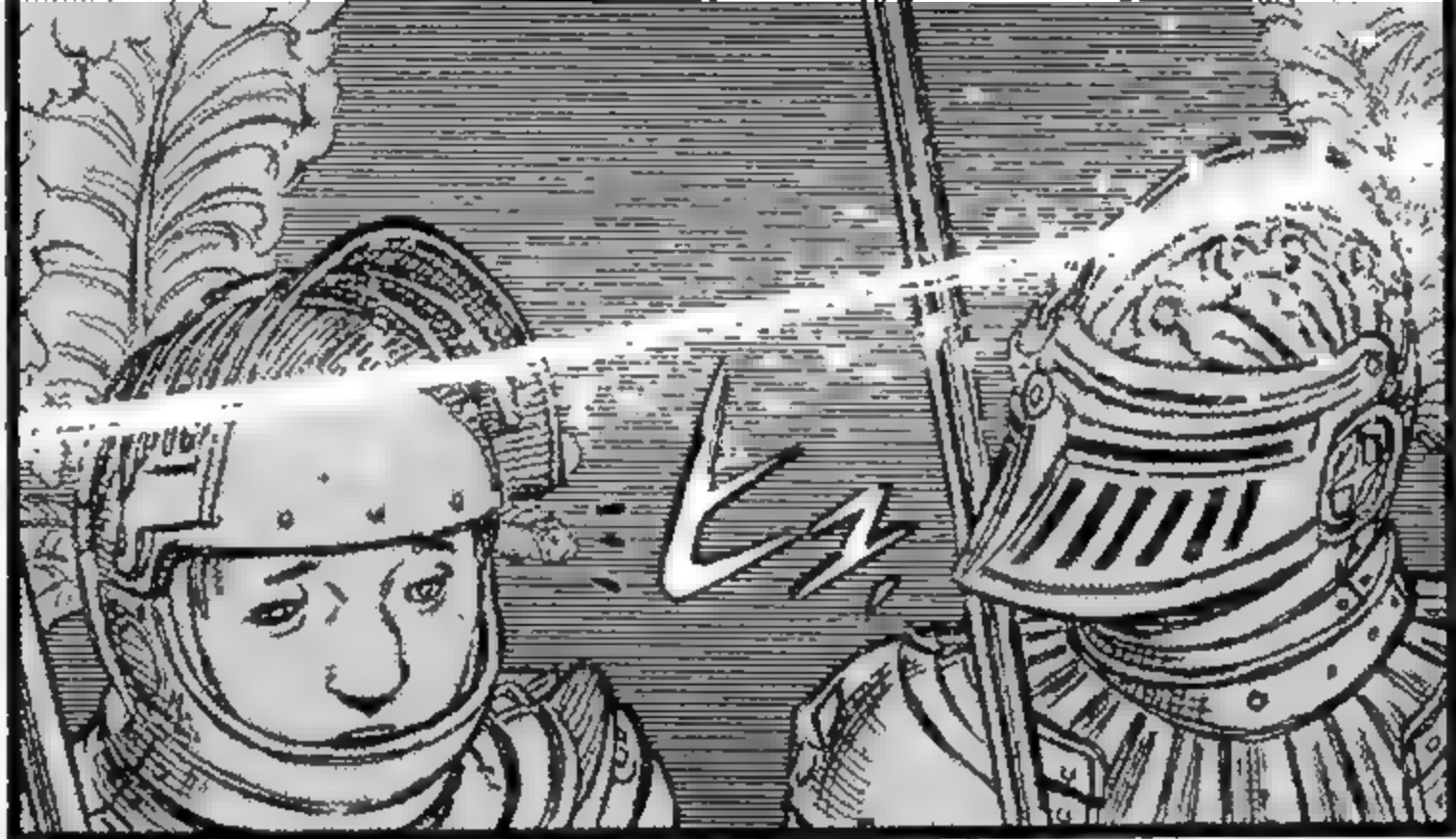
IT'S BETTER
THAN ALWAYS
BEING EATEN
BY THE
STRONG.

NOT THAT
NOBLES LIKE
ME SHOULD
SAY IT...
WE EAT SO
MUCH.

THE WEAK
HAVE THEIR
OWN WAY
OF LIVING.

WELL,
IT'S
JUST AS
WELL.

.....



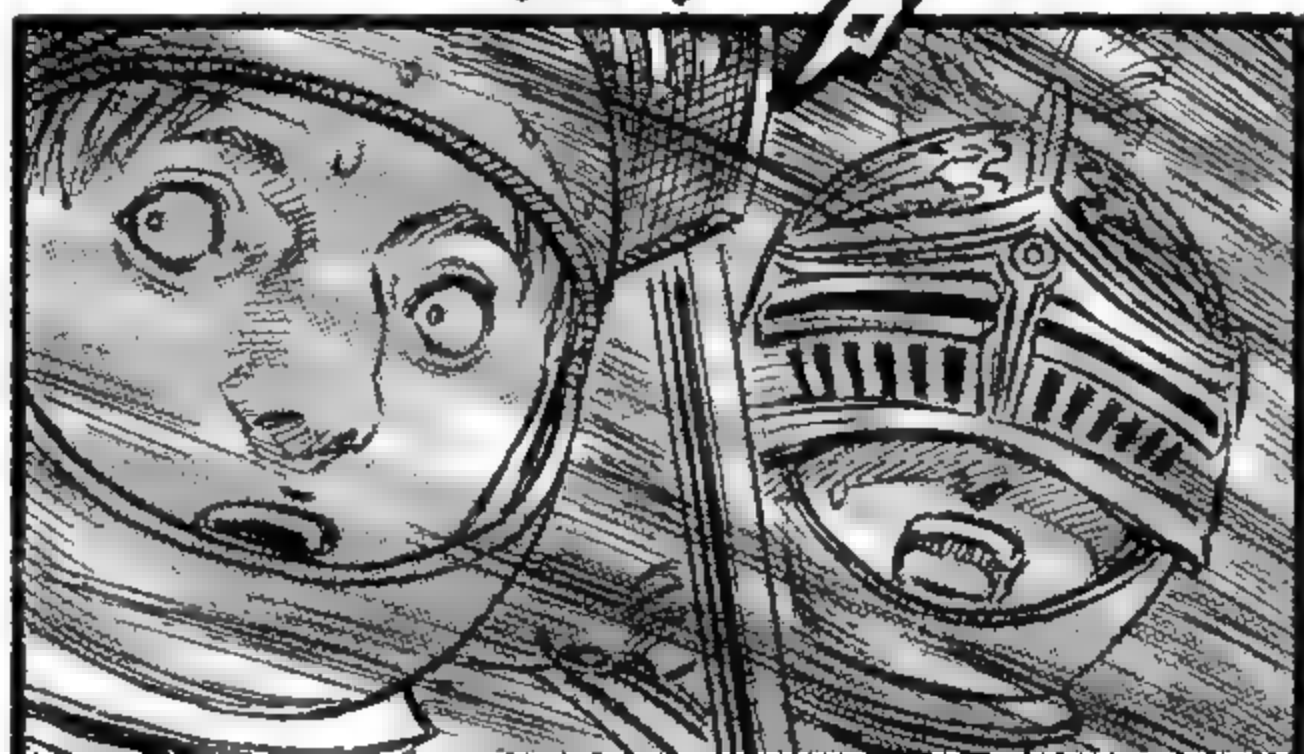
*FX: HYNN



*FX: WHAM



*FX: FLUTTA





*FX: CLACK CLACK

*FX: CLACK CLACK

*FX: LOOM

*FX FLINCH



BECOME
FAMILY...

MINGLE
WITH...

WITCH...

CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
DEN OF EVIL: END

**CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY
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生誕祭の章 再会**

BERSERK



WHAT'S
...?!



AGH!

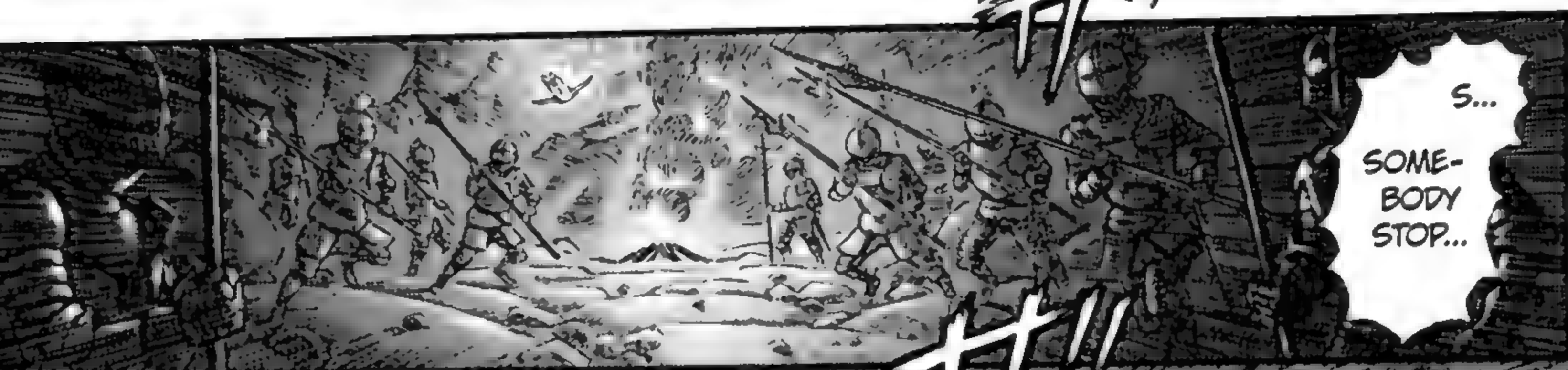


WHAT'S
THIS
LIGHT
...?!



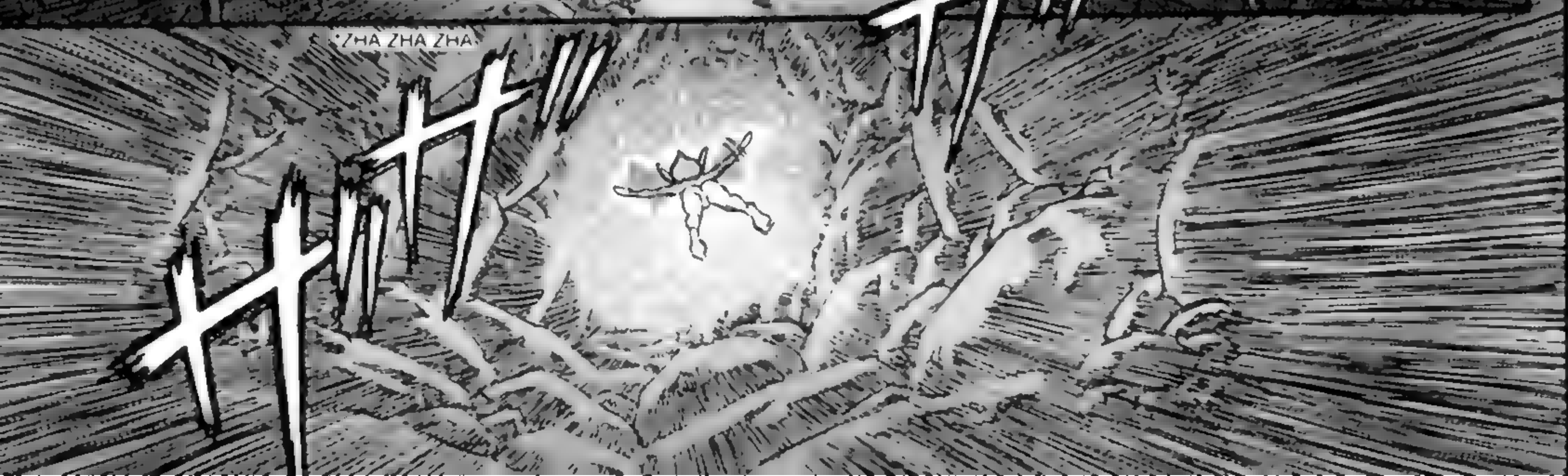
H-HEY,
LOOK!

*FX: ZHA ZHA ZHA



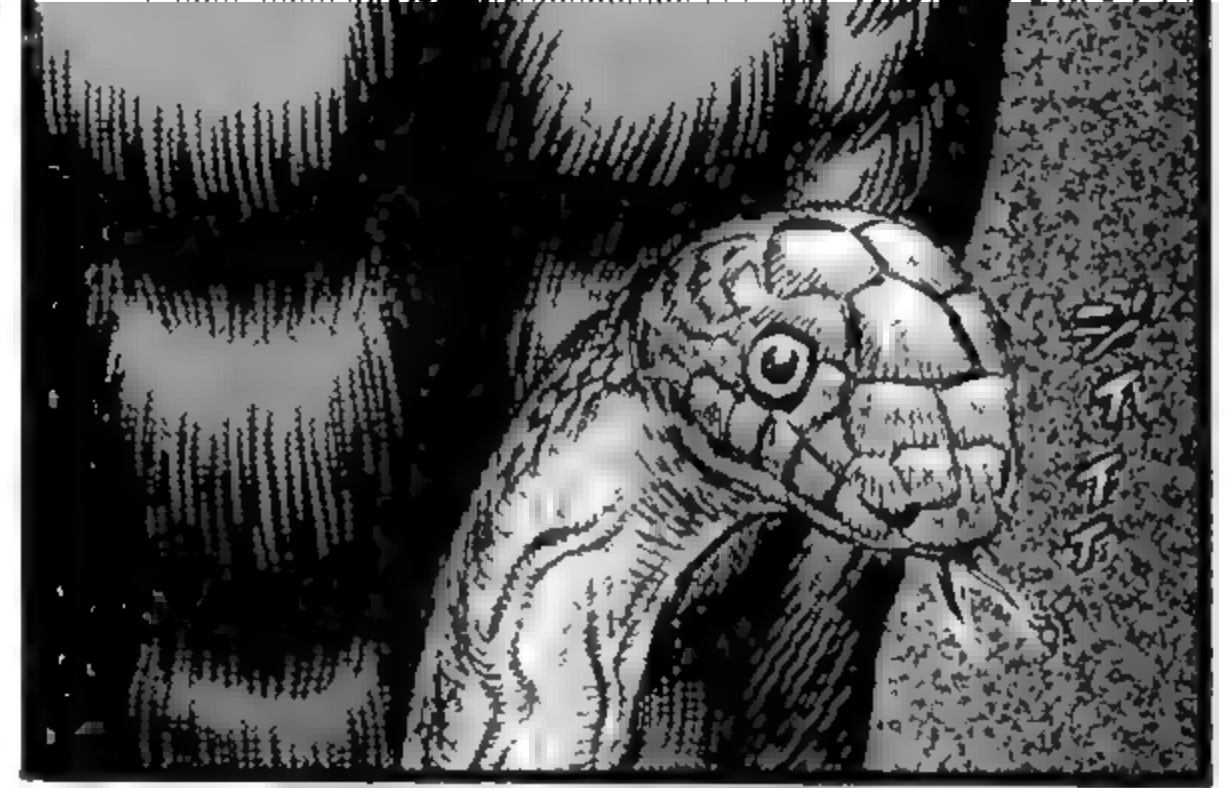
S...

SOME-
BODY
STOP...

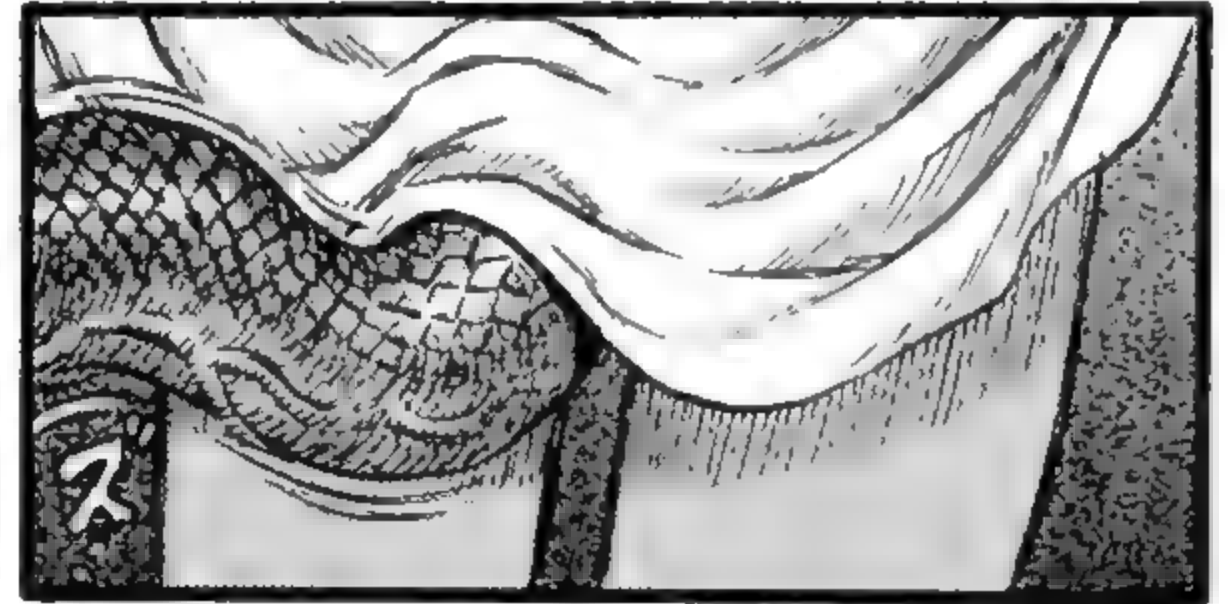


*ZHA ZHA ZHA



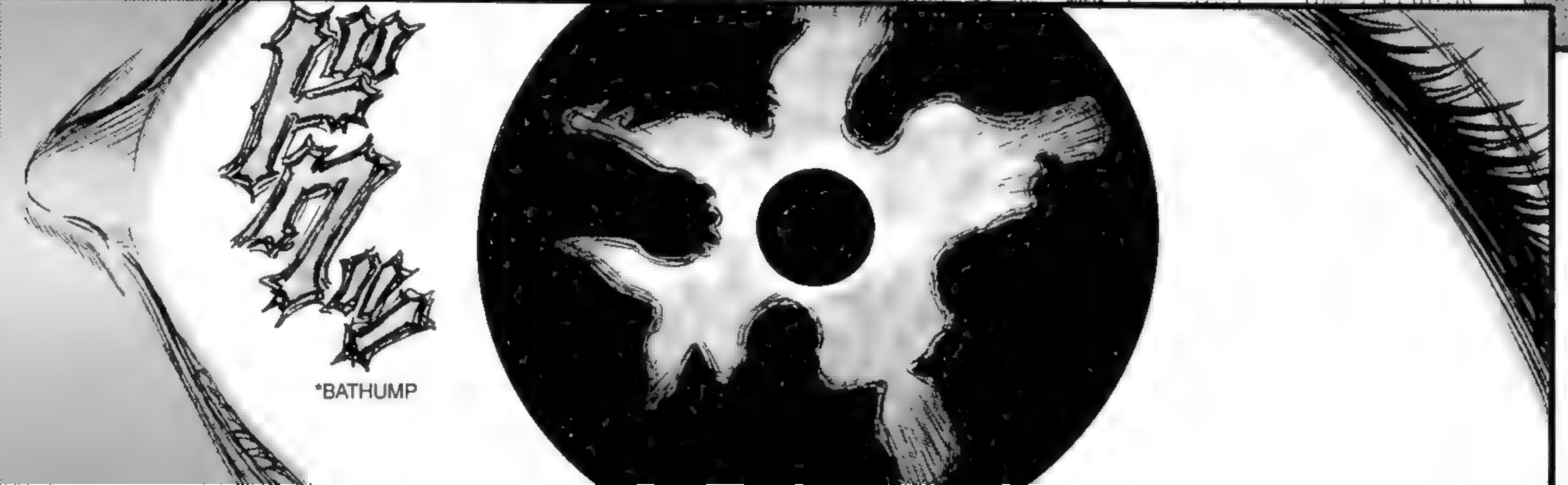


*FX: JSSSS



*FX: ZZZ

*FX: TWITCH





...
...
!!

En.
*TWITCH

En.
*TWITCH

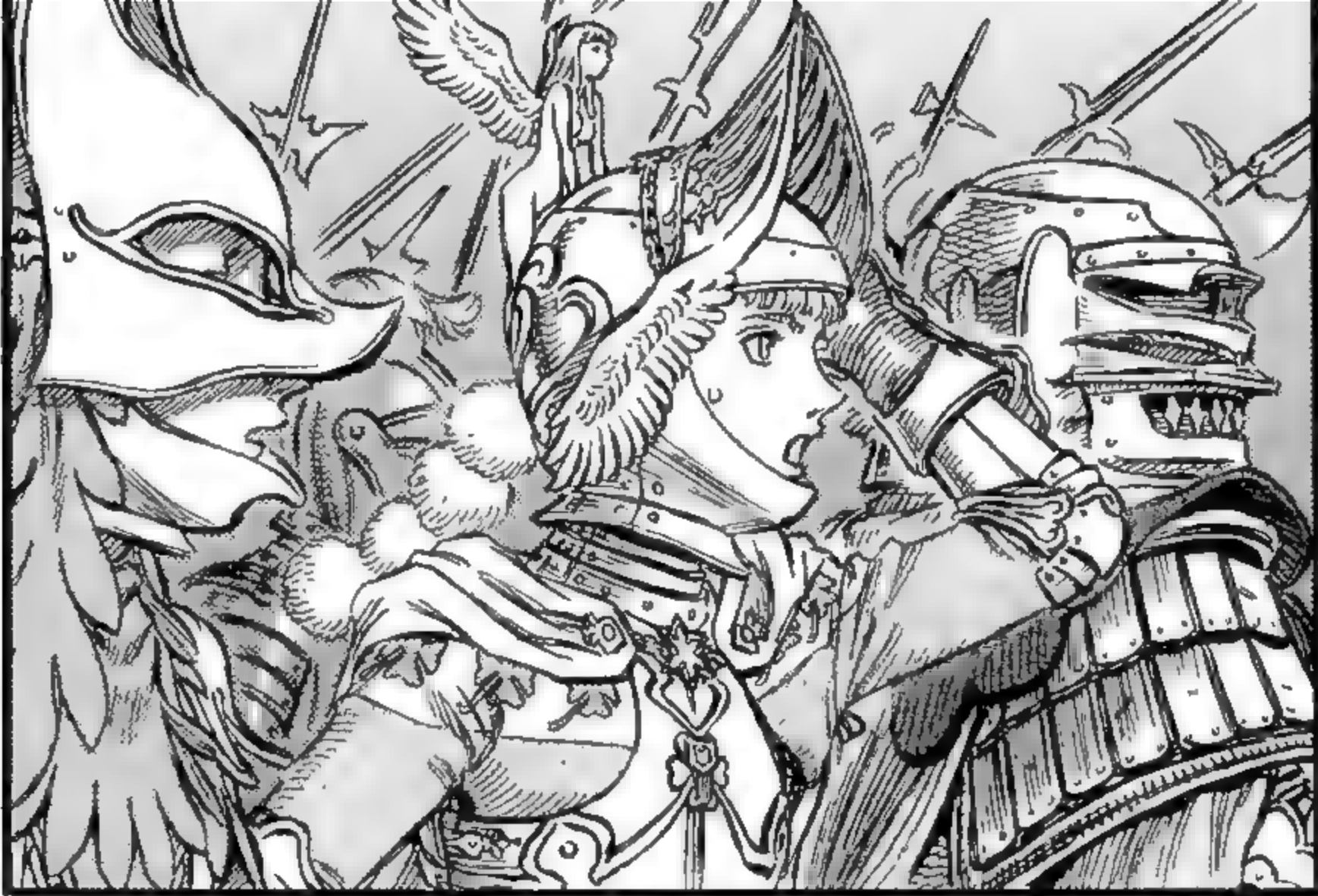
PUT THAT
THING AWAY,
YA HORNY
GOAT!!



*FX: SWOMM

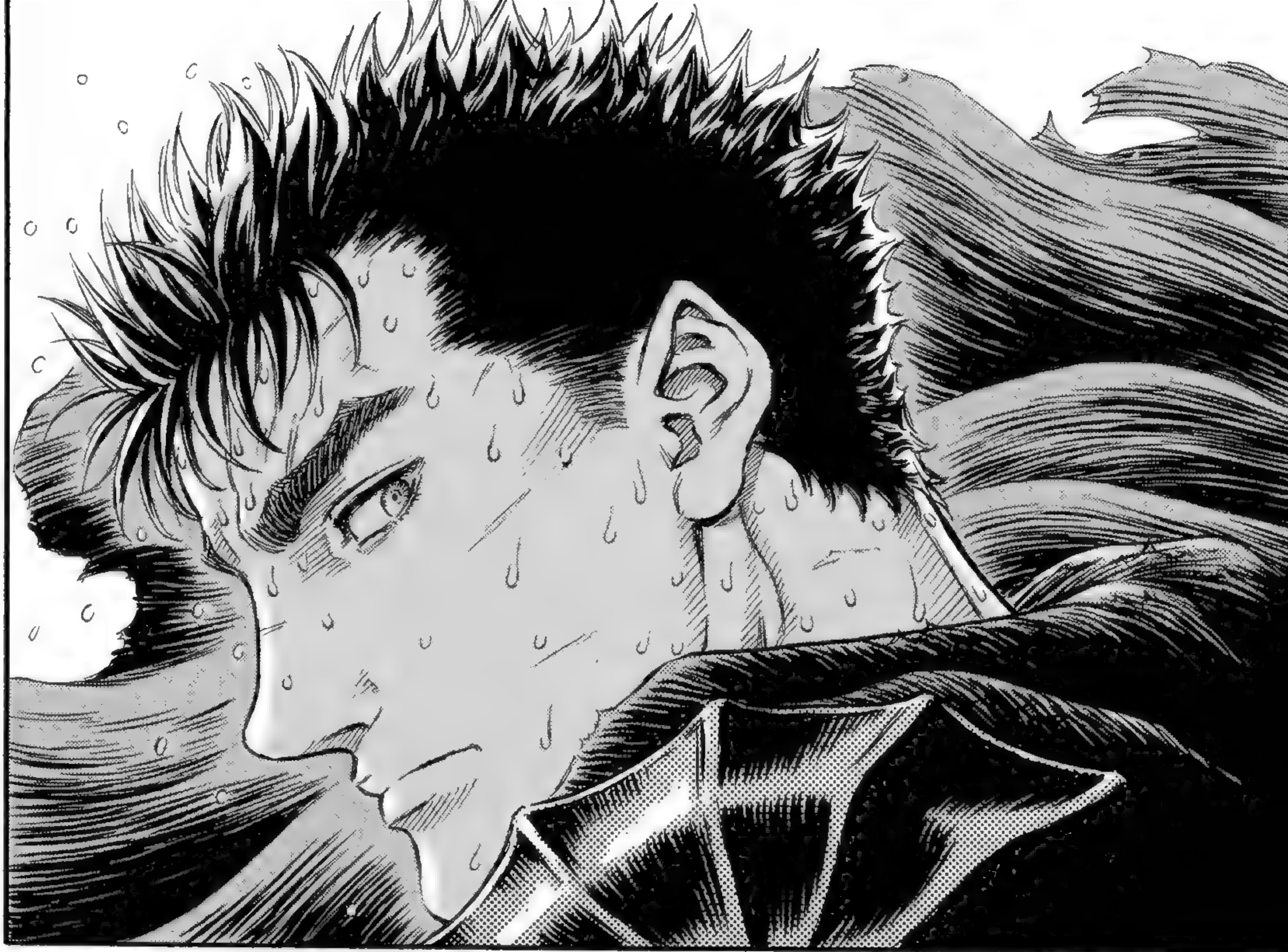


*GODONG









THE BLACK SWORDSMAN!!!

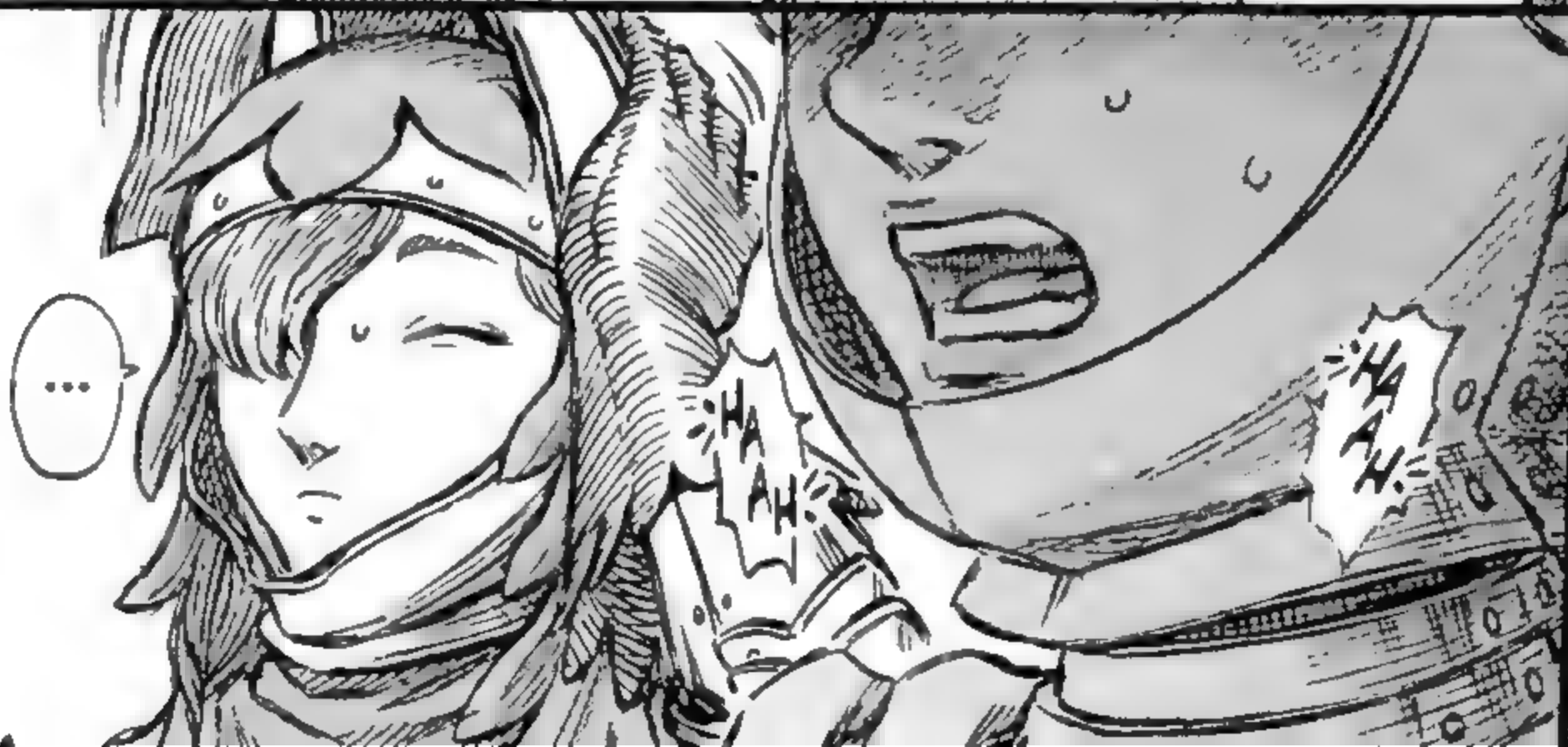
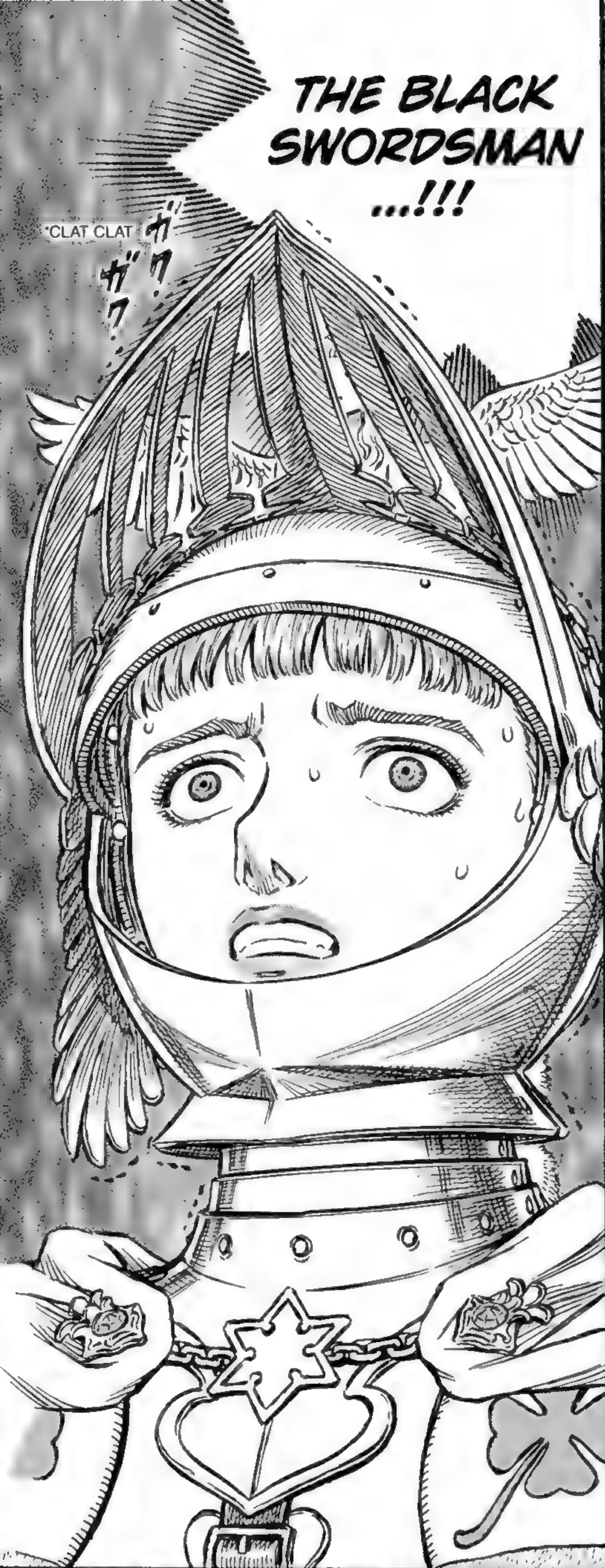
CLAT CLAT

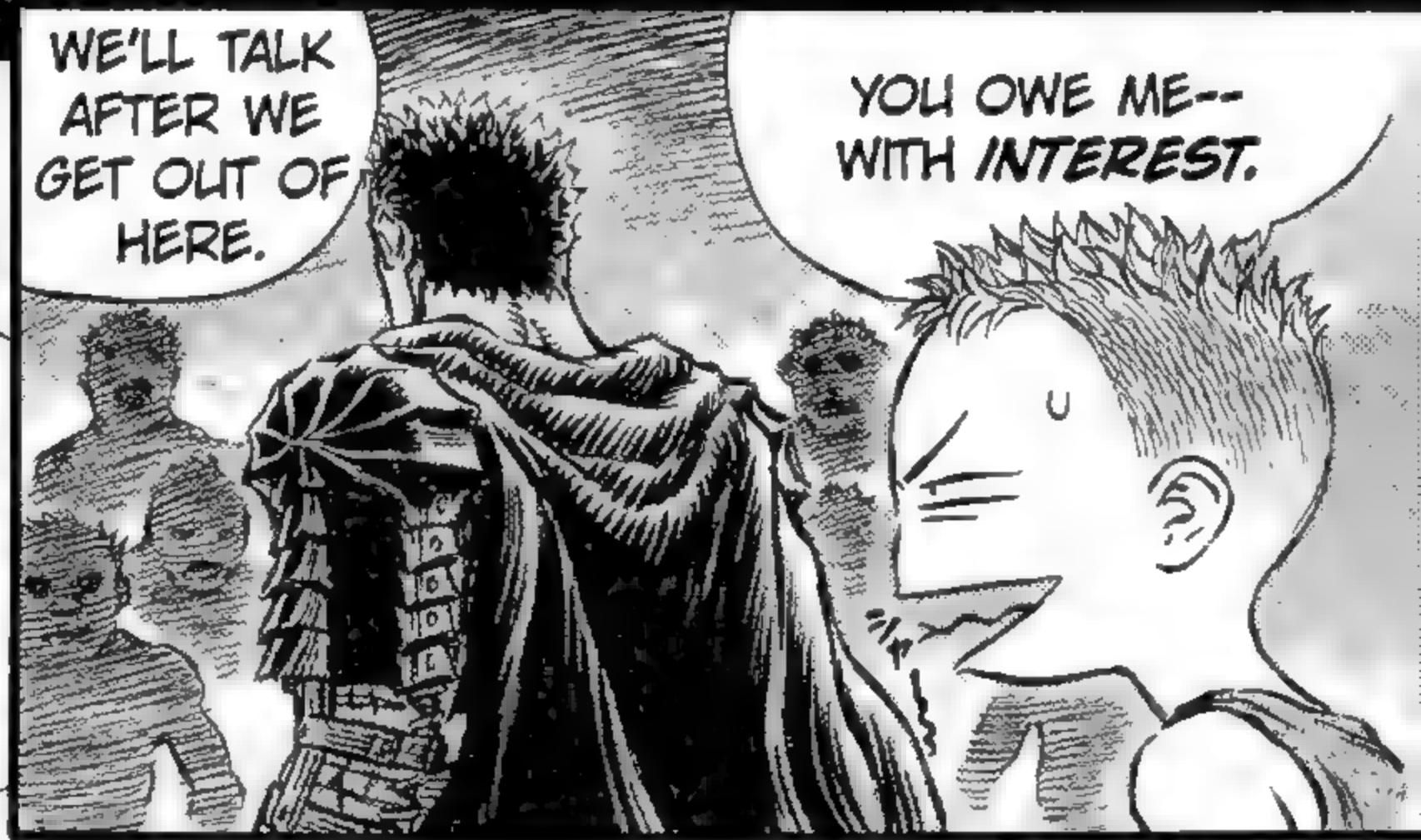
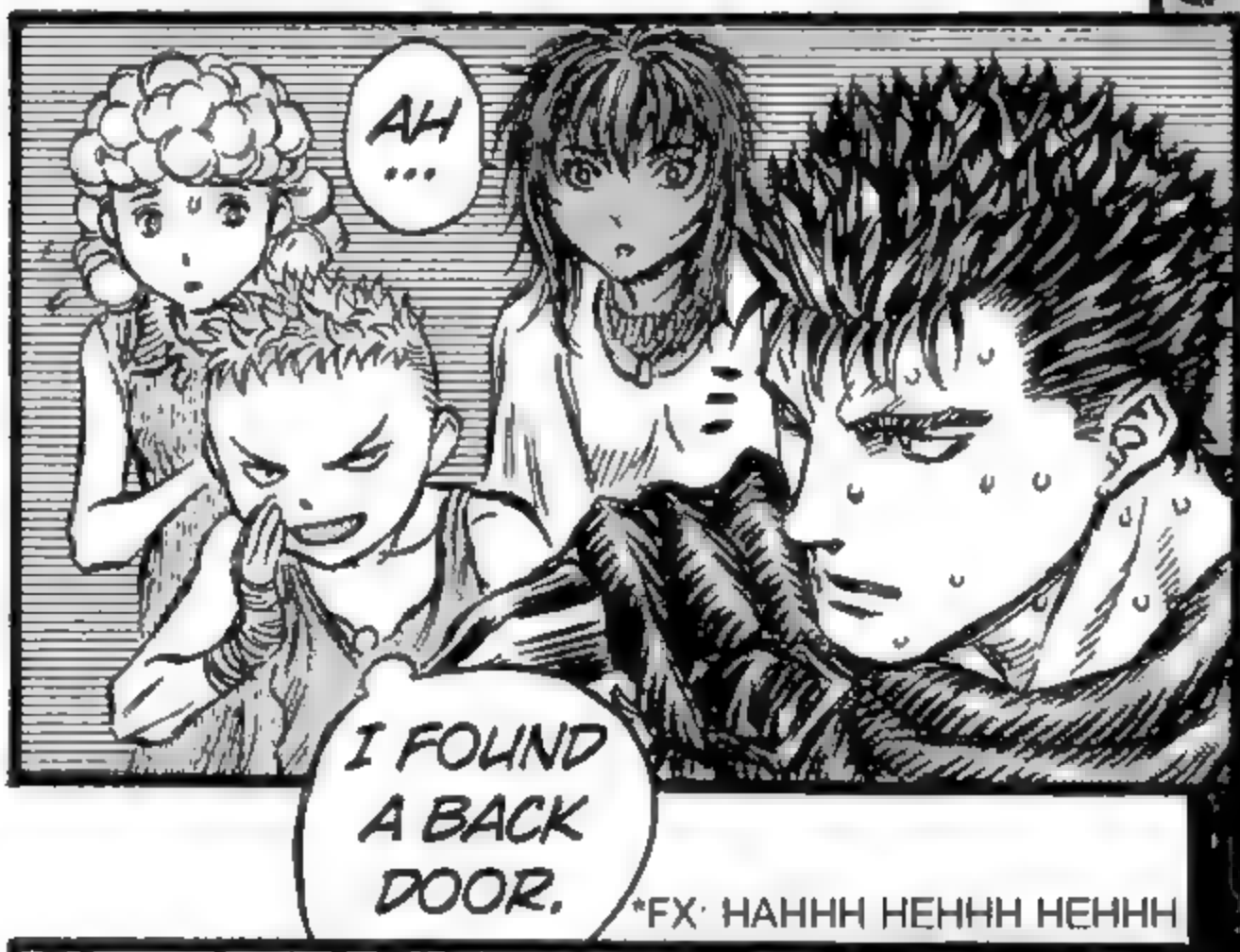
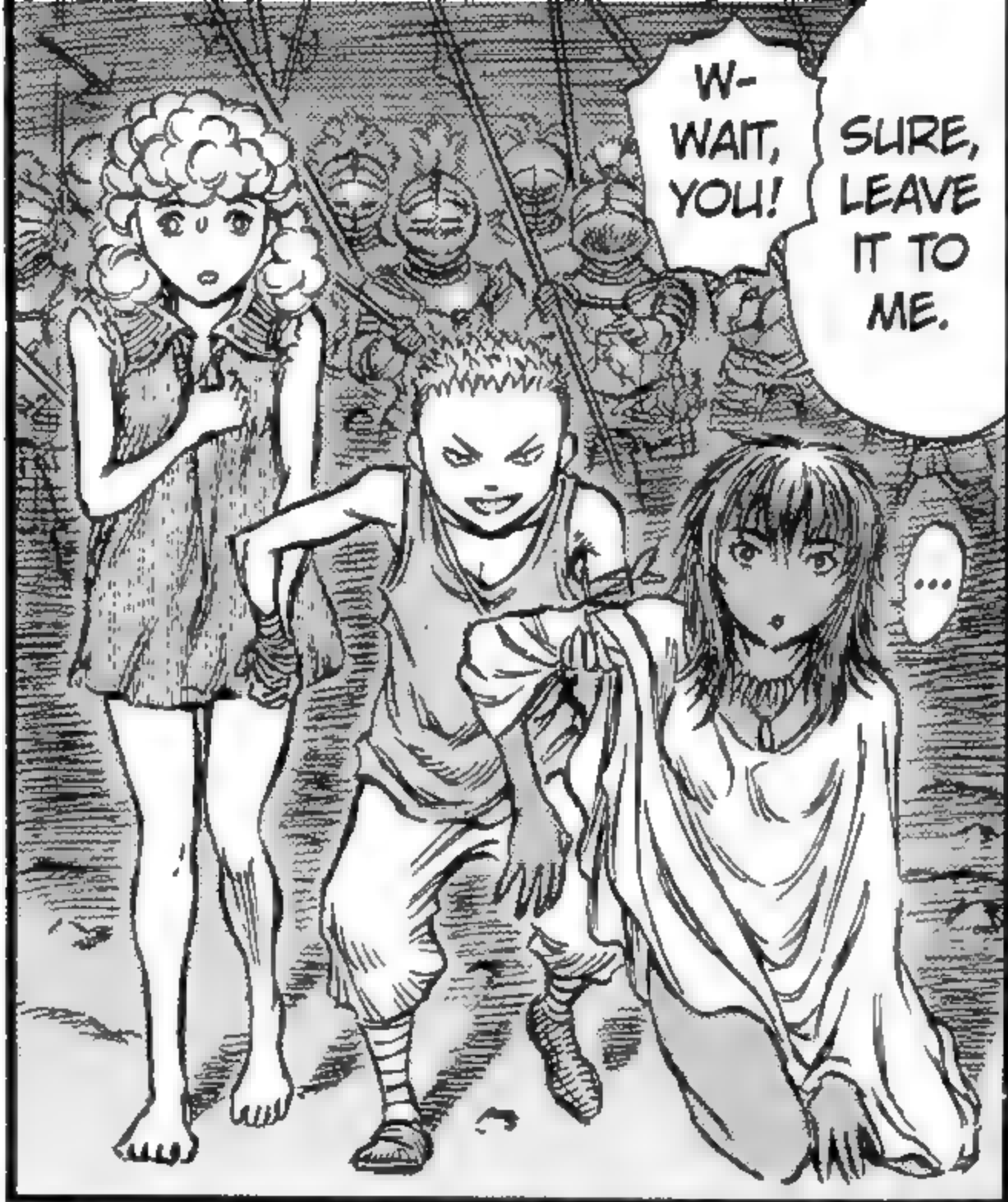
IT...
IT'S
HIM!!
THE
BLACK
SWORDS-
MAN?!

WOHHHH

LOOK
!!

WHY
IS HE
HERE...
?!





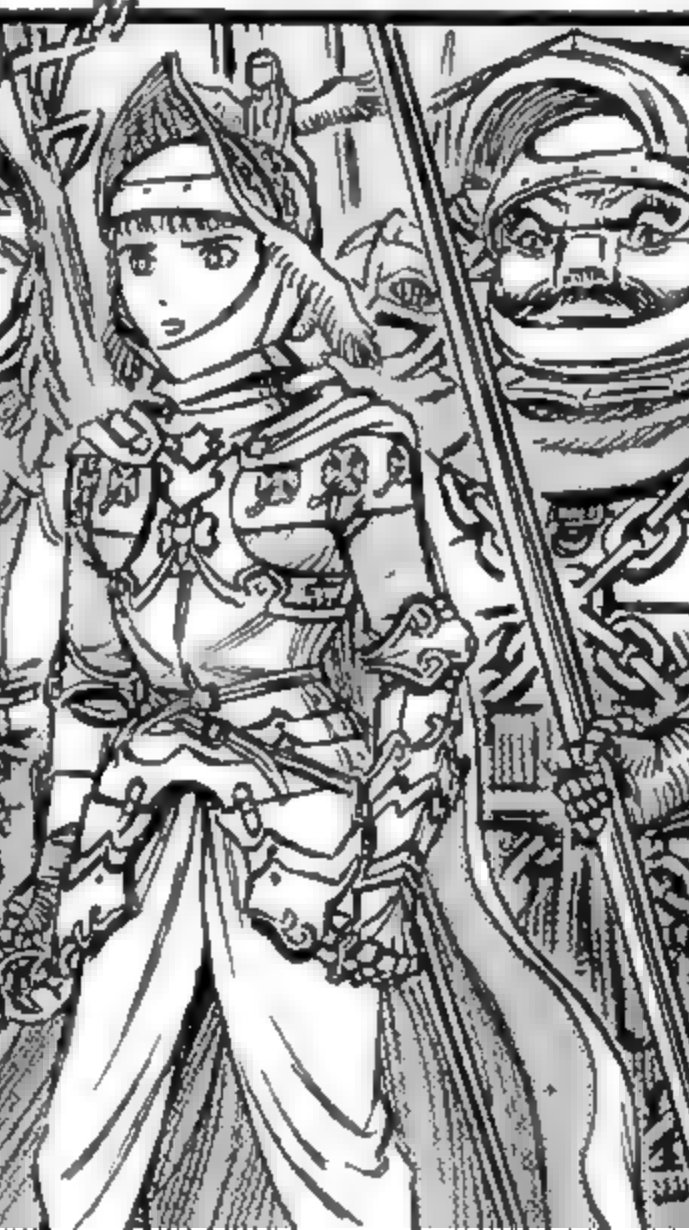
*FX: CLENCH *FX: FLINCH *FX: SHUMP



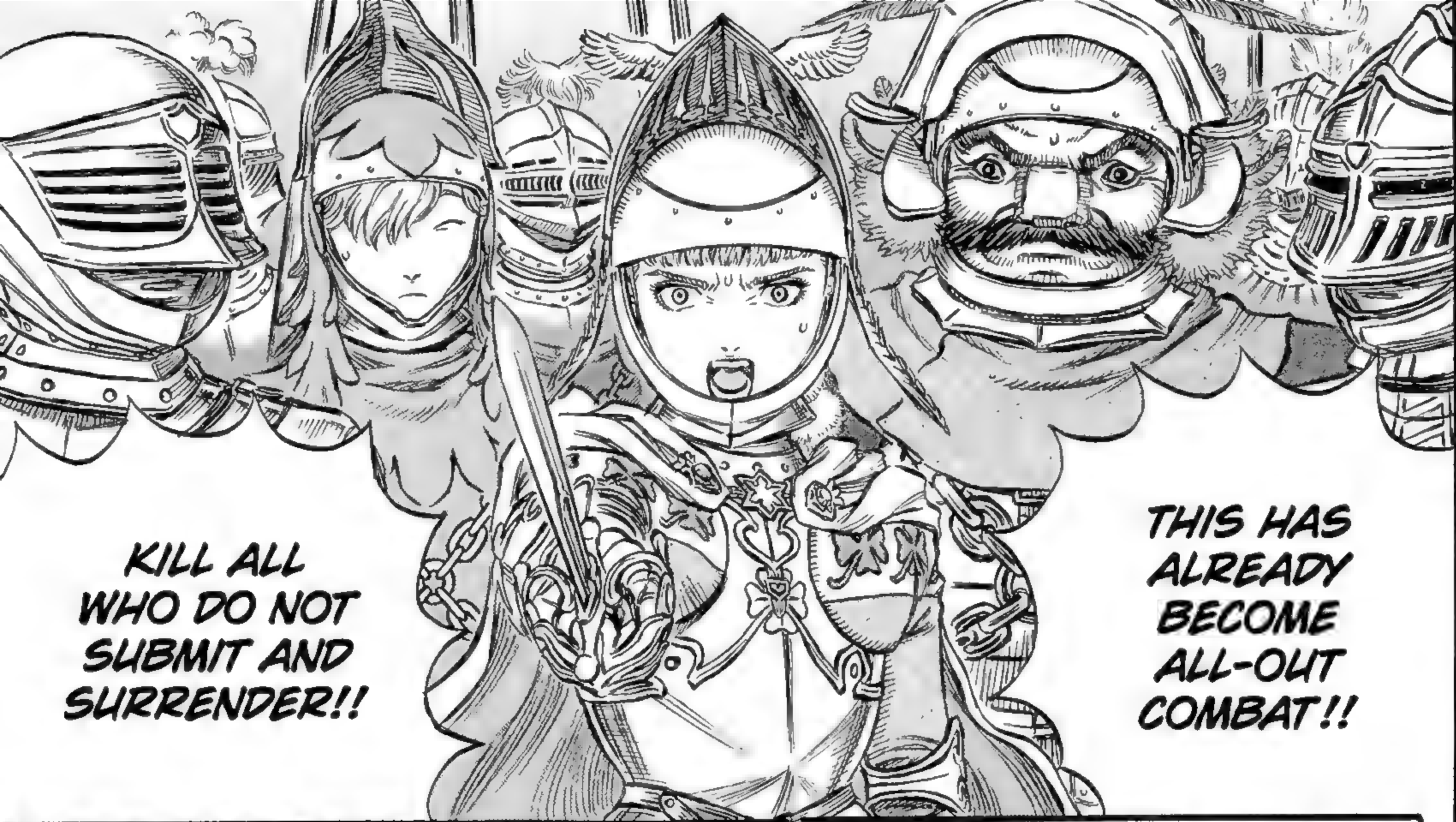
BUT YOU SAW THAT SWORDPLAY, RIGHT?! IT WAS LIKE A WHIRLWIND, NOTHING LIKE BEFORE!



*FX: MUTTER MUTTER



THAT DOESN'T EXACTLY MEAN HE'S OUR ALLY. DID YOU FORGET?! HE'S A FOE TO US!



**KILL ALL
WHO DO NOT
SUBMIT AND
SURRENDER!!**

**THIS HAS
ALREADY
BECOME
ALL-OUT
COMBAT!!**



**WE MUSTN'T
QUAIL BEFORE
THOSE WHO
OPPOSE OUR
GOD!!**

**HAVE YOU
FORGOTTEN?
THEY ARE
HERETICS!!**

*GSHANNNG



**BUT
LADY
FARNESE
...!!**

**SILENCE!!
STANDING HERE
WILL ONLY LEAD
TO INCREASED
CASUALTIES!!**



**ANNIHILATE
THEM!!**

**EVERYONE
ADVANCE!!**



**FIGHT
FIRE WITH
FIRE, EH?**

**FORGET
ABOUT THAT.
LET'S GO.**

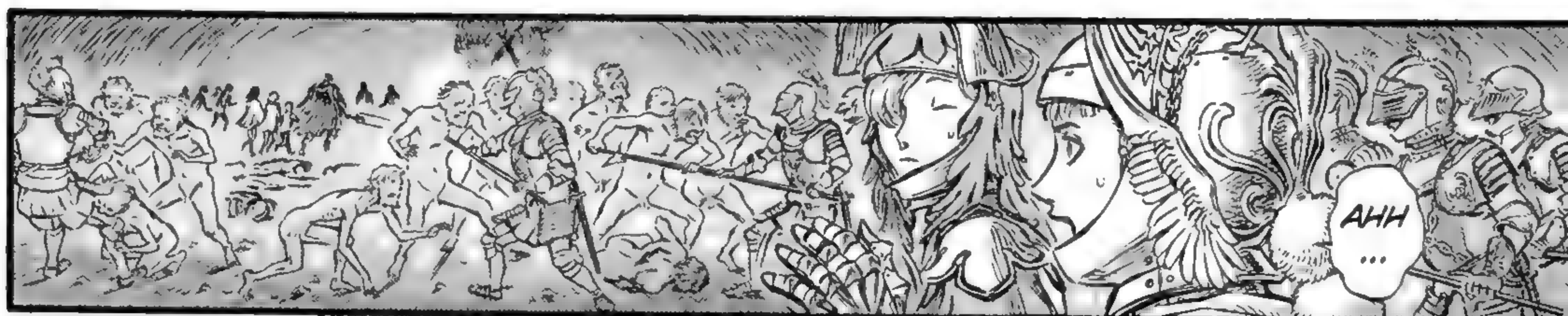
RELAXING

*ROHHHH

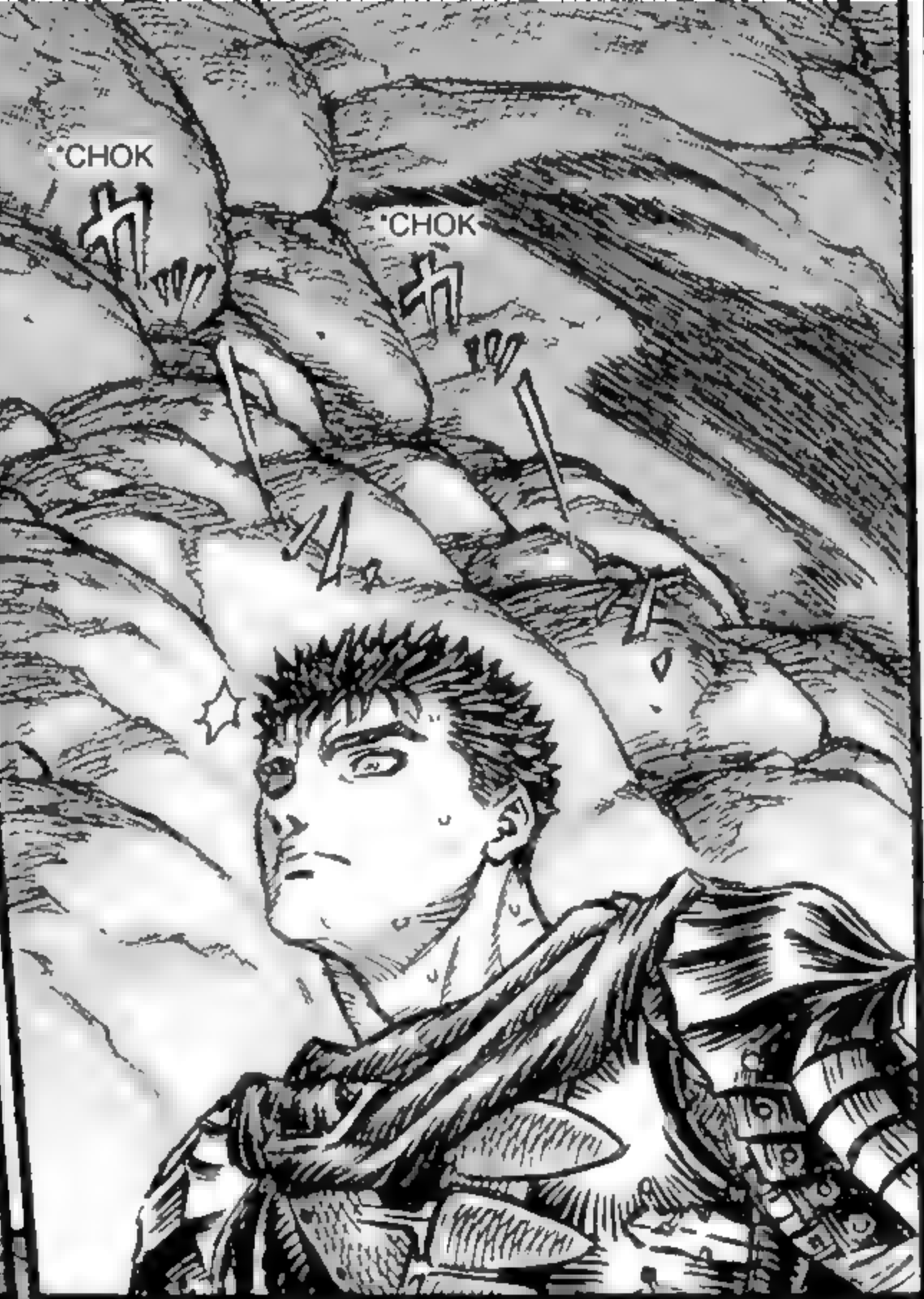


*FX: SHUNK

*FX: SHOVE



MY, MY.





MINE ...

MINGLE WITH...

WON'T GIVE.

WITCH ...

GET BACK.

GLITS ...

*FX: CLACK

*FX: KAK

*FX: SHIFT

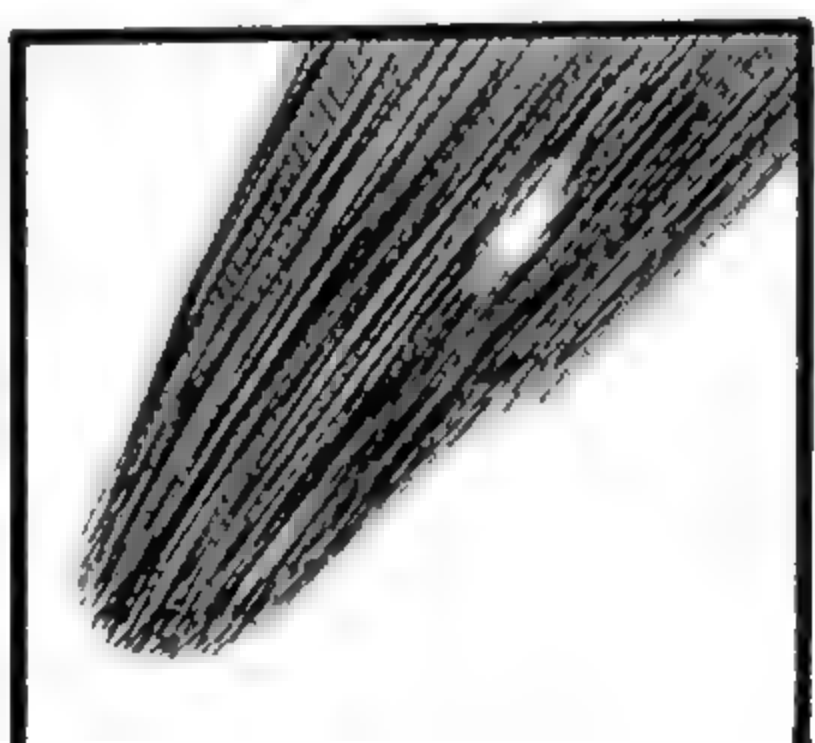
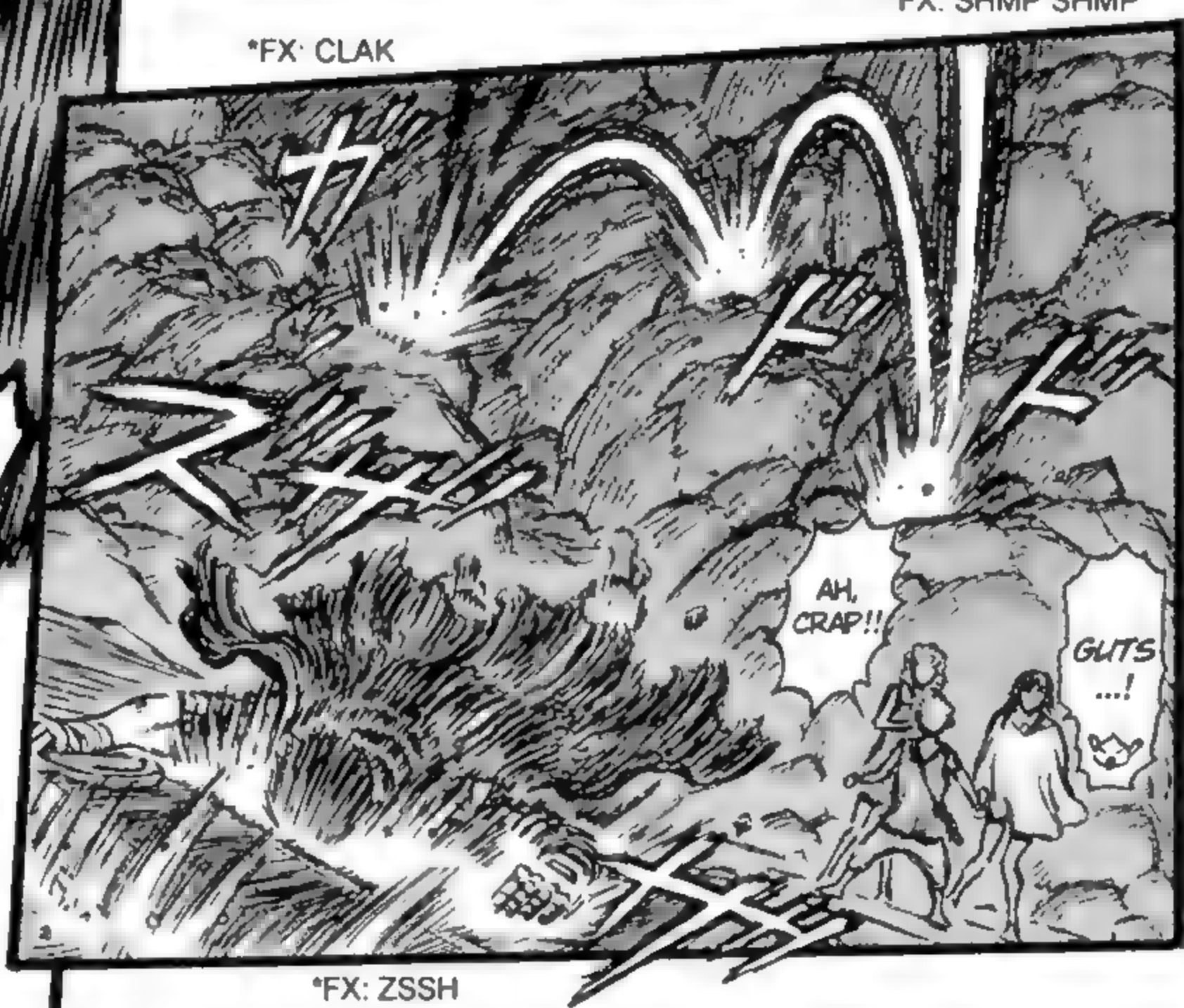
*WHOM

*ZSSHAAAA



*FX: CLAK

*FX: SHMP SHMP





*NNEH-EH



*HRRN

GA FA!

...MY
SPINE
WOULD BE
SMASHED.

*FX KOFF

IF NOT
FOR
GODO'S
ARMOR...



TURN
HIM
INTA
GOAT
STEW!



...

GO ON
AHEAD
WITH
THEM.

ISIDRO.

YEAH,
BUT...

!

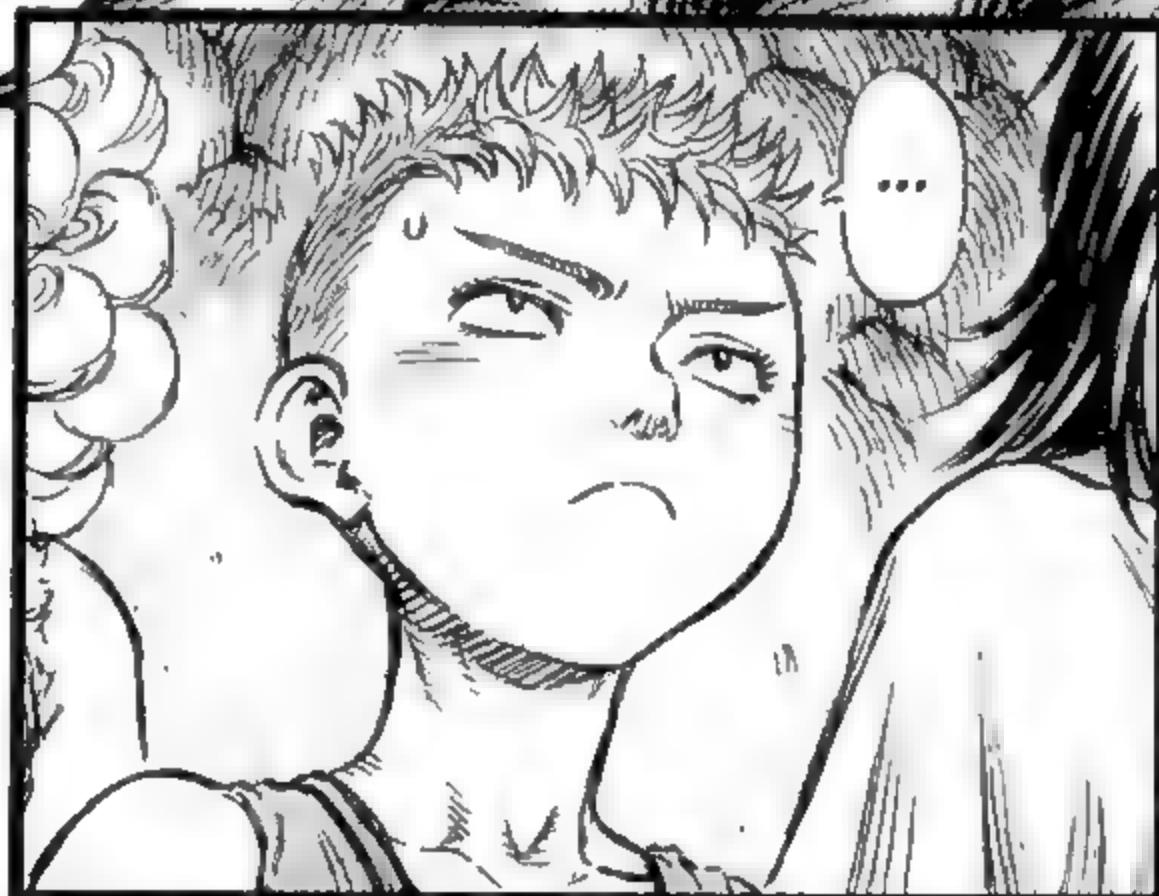


CASCA'S
IN YOUR
HANDS.



DON'T
DIE.
I'D
LOSE MY
PAYBACK.

TCH!
FINE.



...

*FX: LEAP

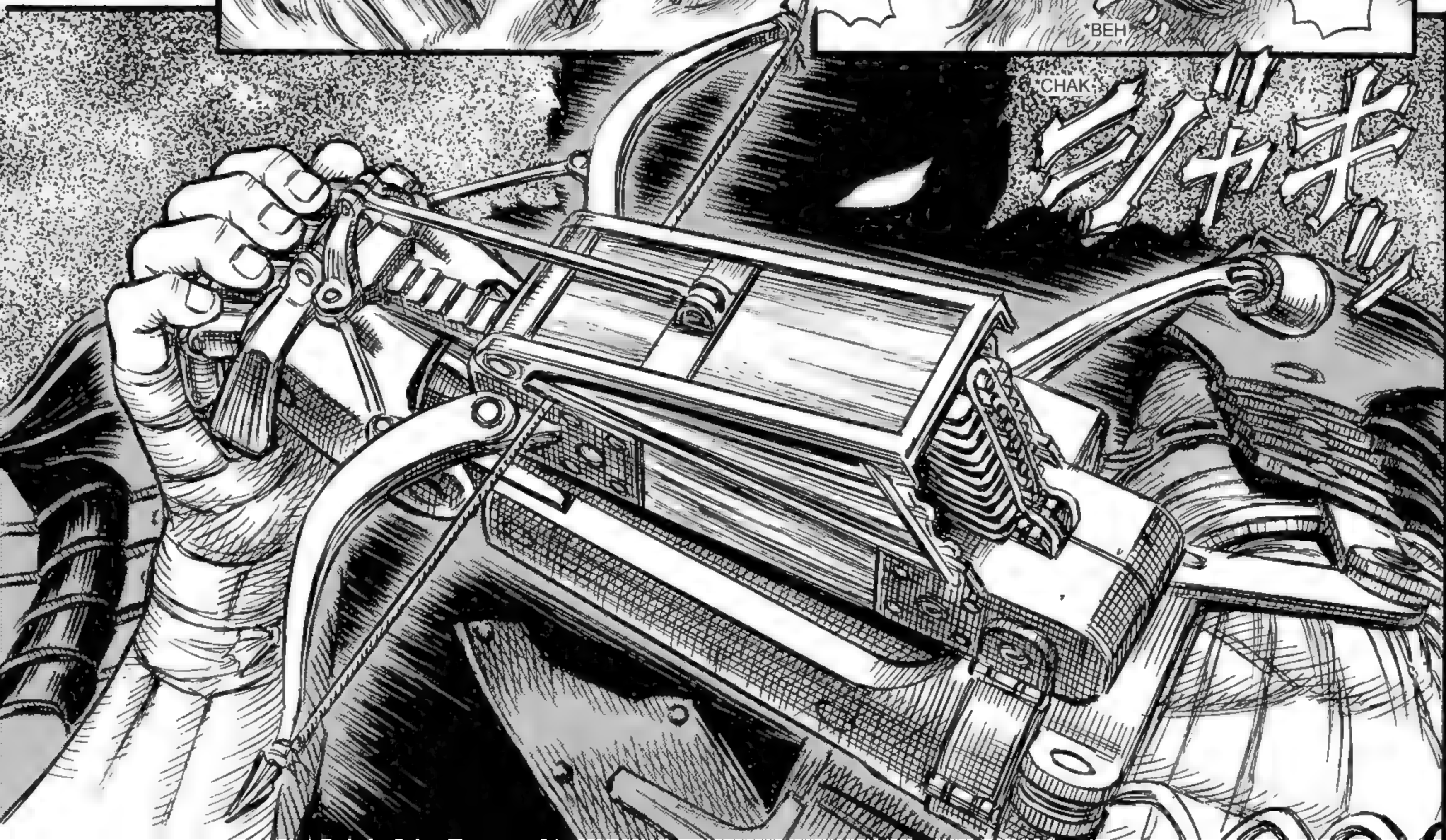


LEAVE
HER
...

WAIT.

*BEH

*CHAK





*THNK

*THNK

*THNK



*THWAK

DWA
HI!

*EH-EH-EH

*WHK WHK WHK

*THNK THNK THNK THNK



I KEEP
PASSIN' HER
FROM ONE
PERSON TO
THE NEXT.

FX HFFF HFFF



GORE
TO
DEATH.

KICK KILL
TO ...
DEATH.

ザッ
ツツ
！！

...WHAT
THAT GUY
WAS SAYING
MUST NOT
HAVE BEEN
JUST HOT
AIR AFTER
ALL.



SINCE
I SEE
THERE'S A
PSEUDO-
APOSTLE
LIKE YOU
HERE...



...THERE'S NO
WAY I'M
GONNA LEAVE
HER IN A
HELLHOLE
LIKE THIS.

SHAK

≡/×*

BUT...

...PROPHECY
OR WHAT-
EVER...

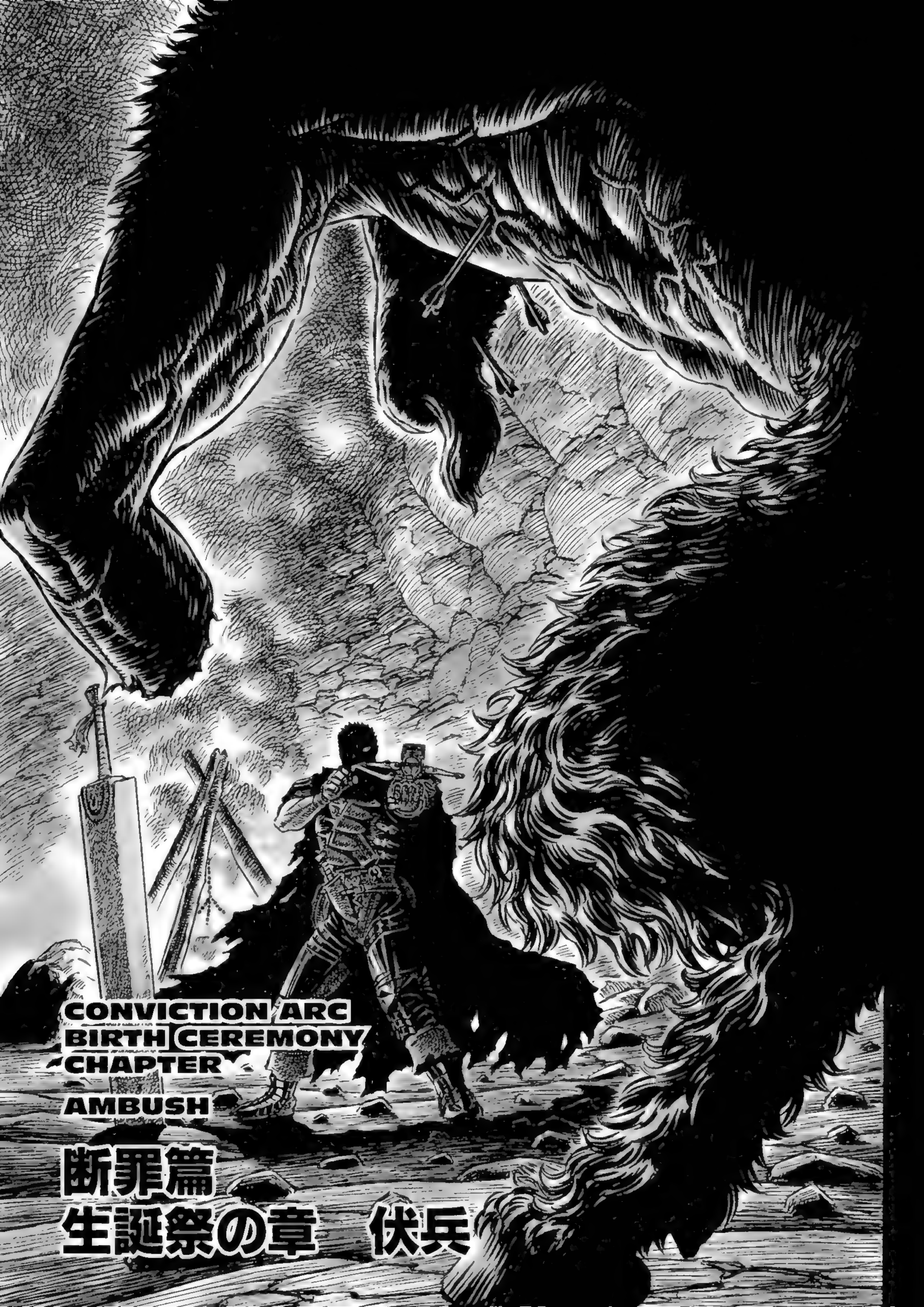


**THIS
TIME
FOR
SURE.**

**I'M
TAKIN'
HER
WITH
ME.**

CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER,
THE REUNION: END

UURF
UURF

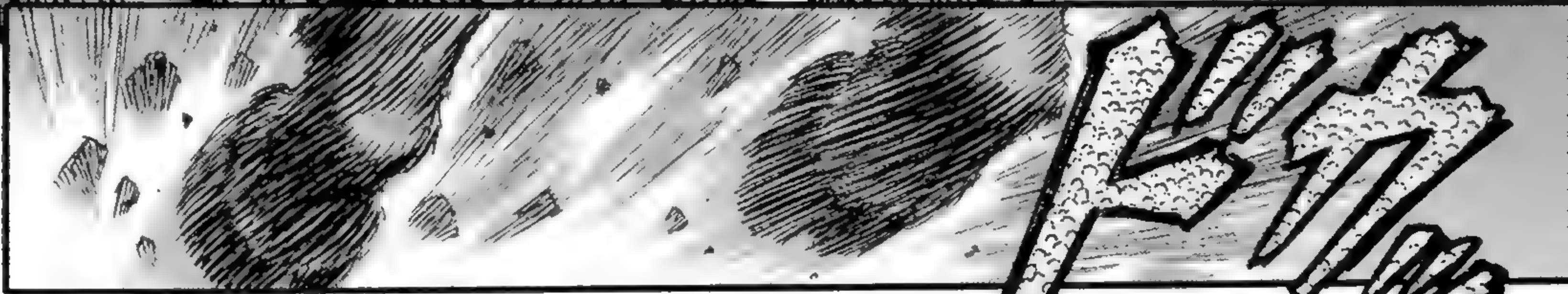


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BIRTH CEREMONY
CHAPTER
AMBUSH

断罪篇
生誕祭の章 伏兵



*BA-EH-EH-EH



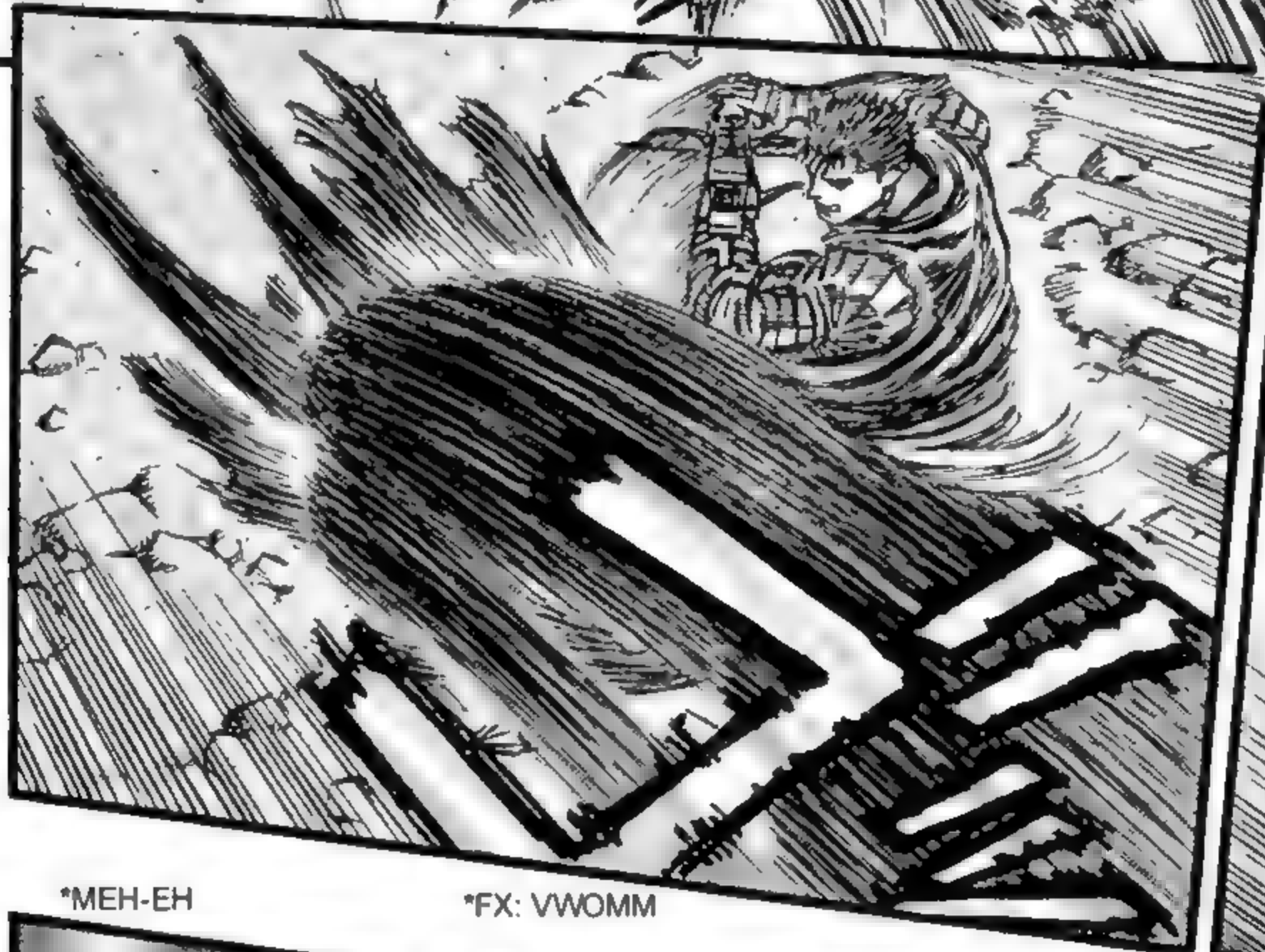
*FX: SHOOM

*FX: CLOPCLOPCLOPCLOP



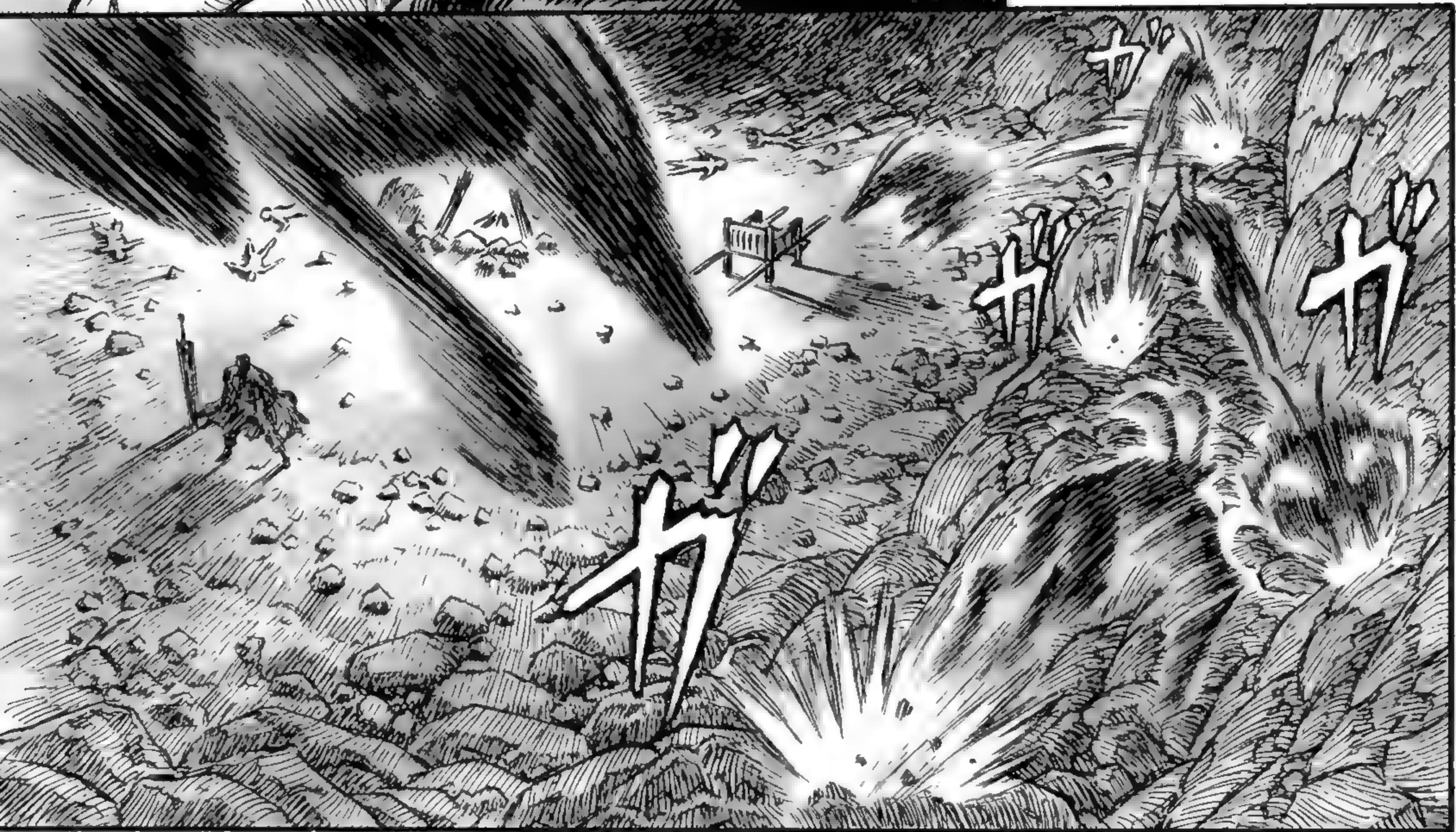
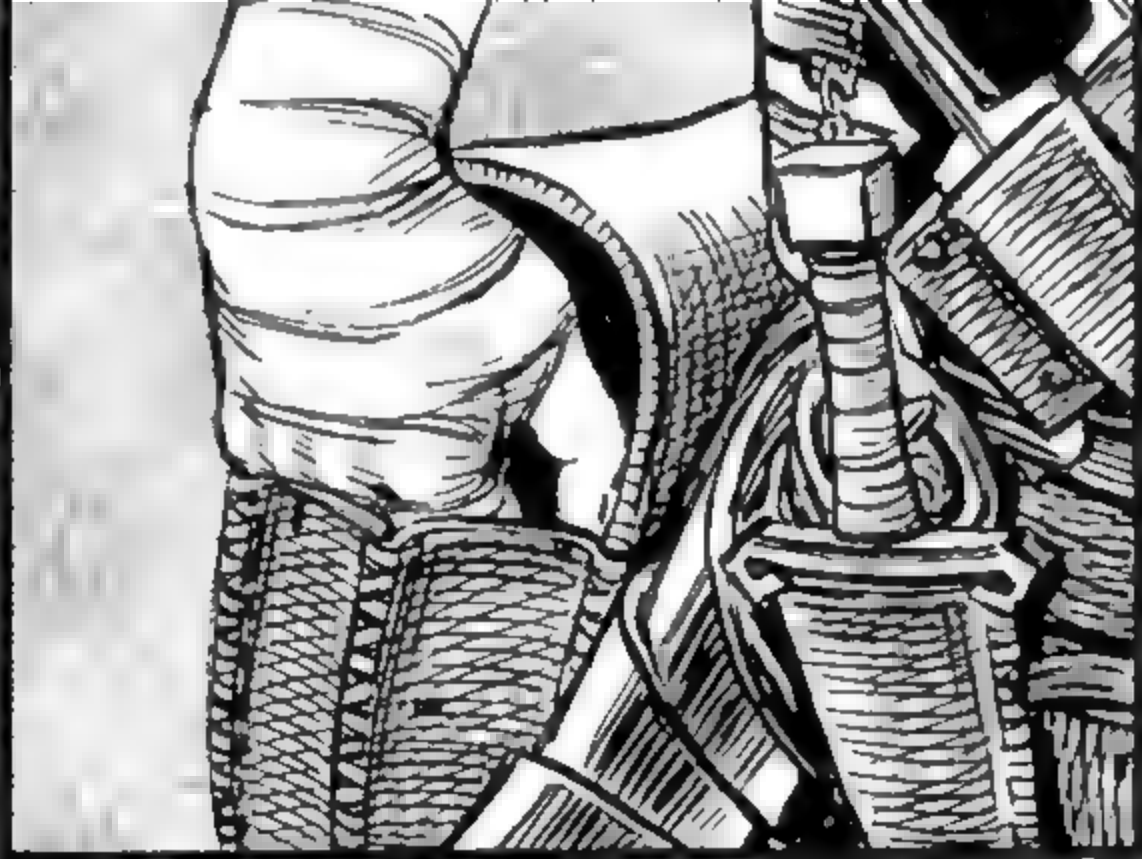
*DRRRR







IT'S
WORTH
A TRY.

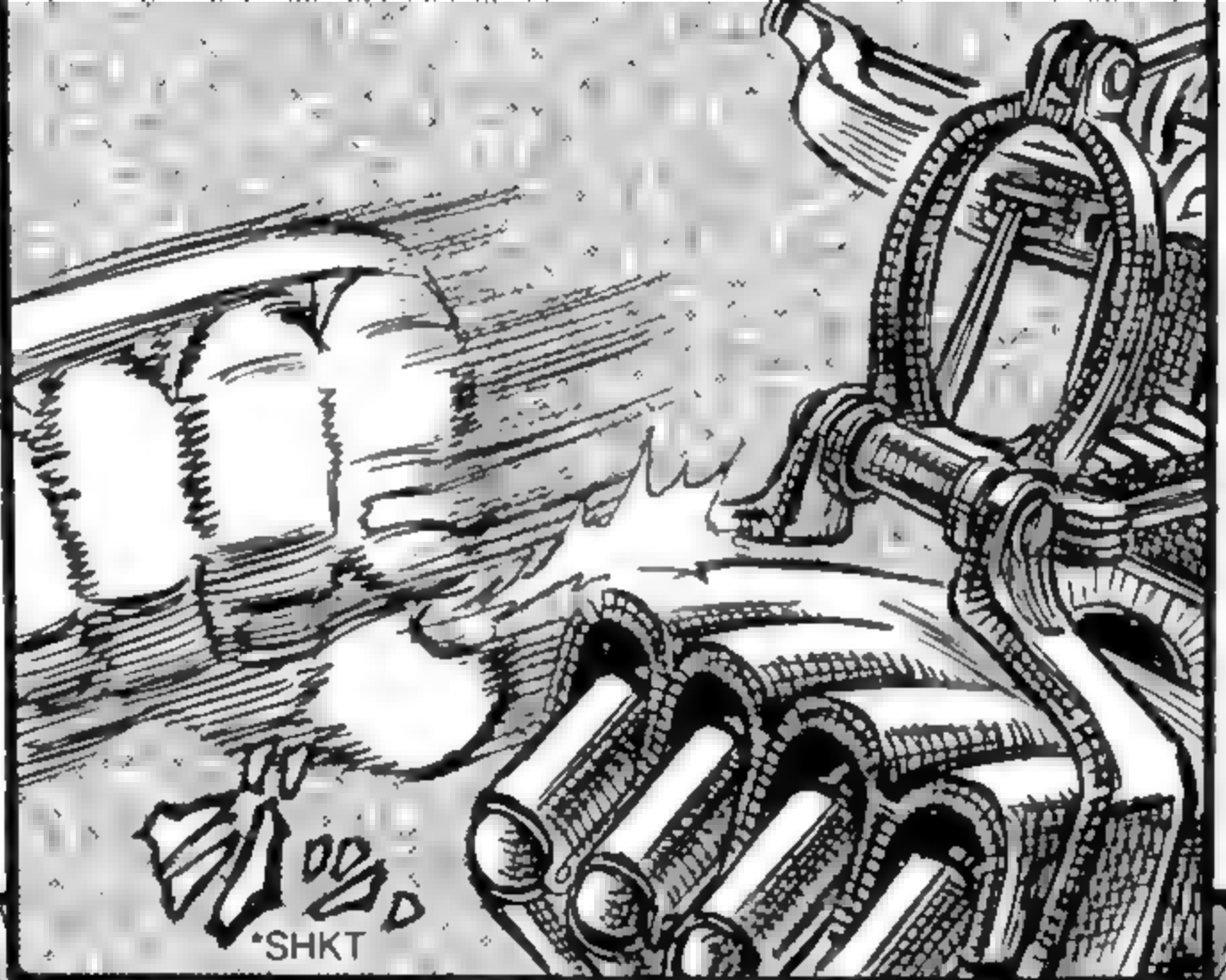
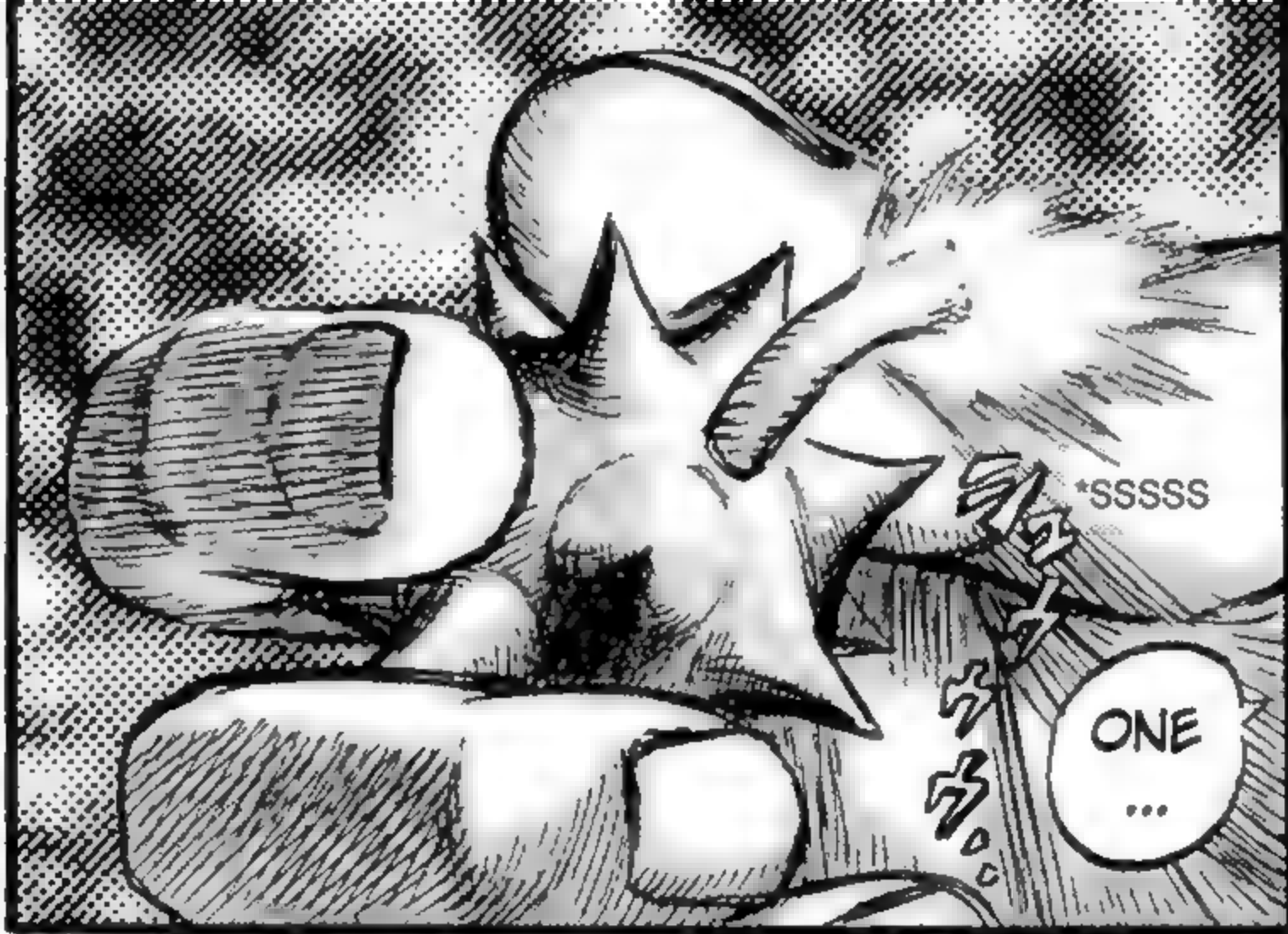


*FX: CLOP CLOP CLOP CLOP

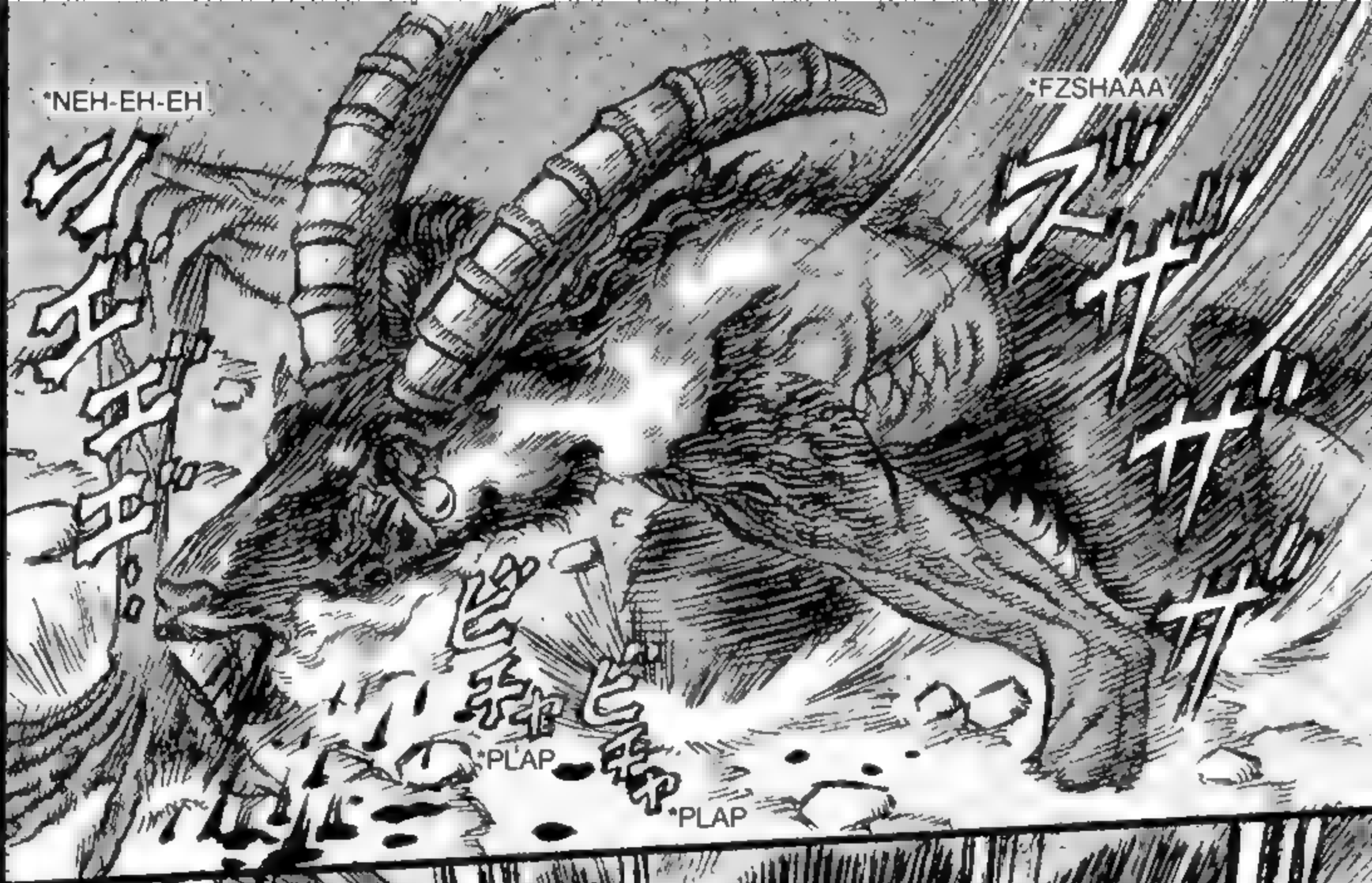
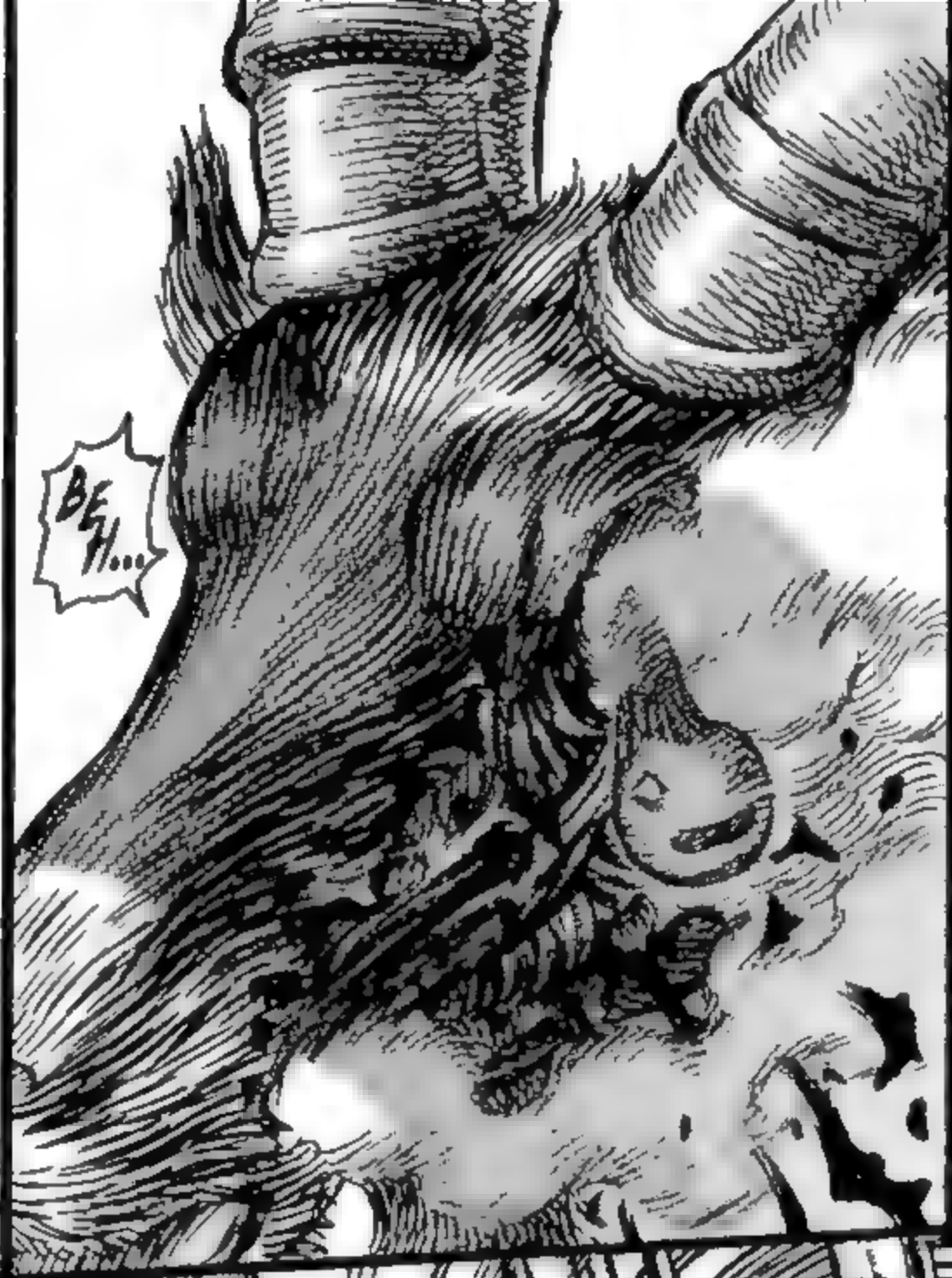
*FX: CLOP CLOP CLOP



HE'S
GOTTA GET
CLOSE...!!









*GSSSH

*THUNK

ガッパッパッ

バキッ

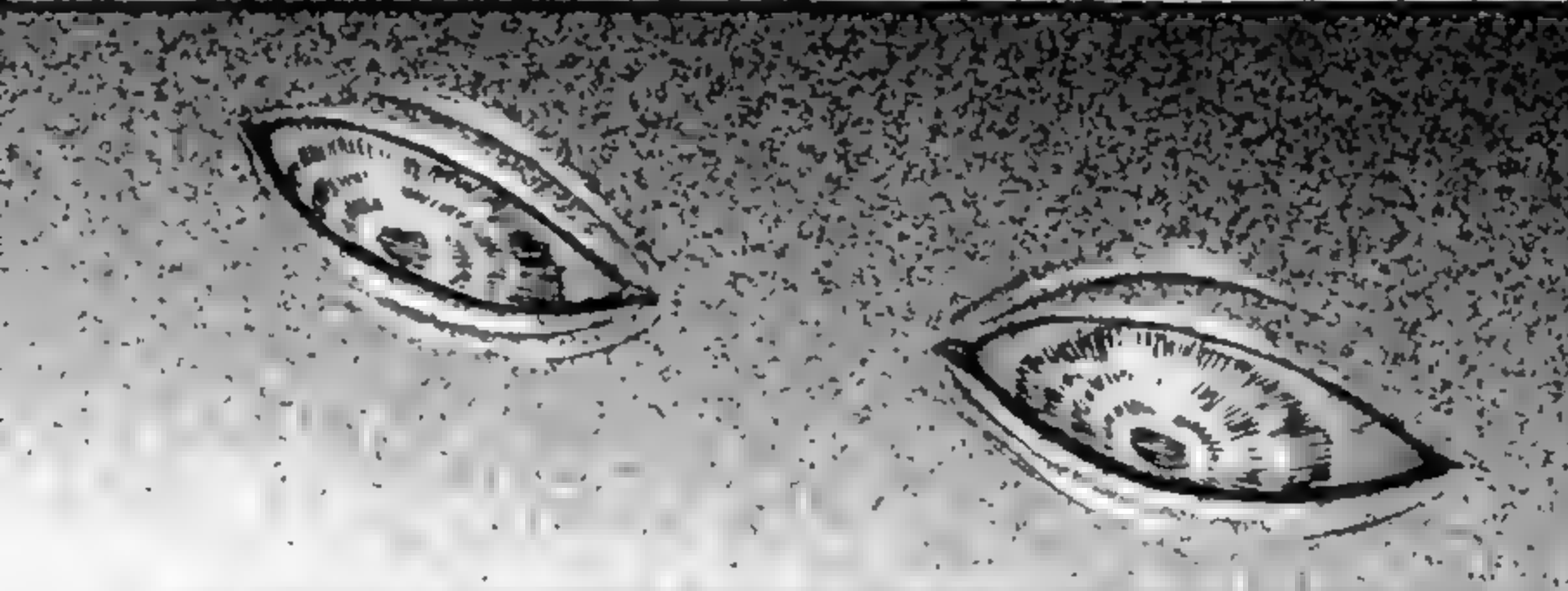
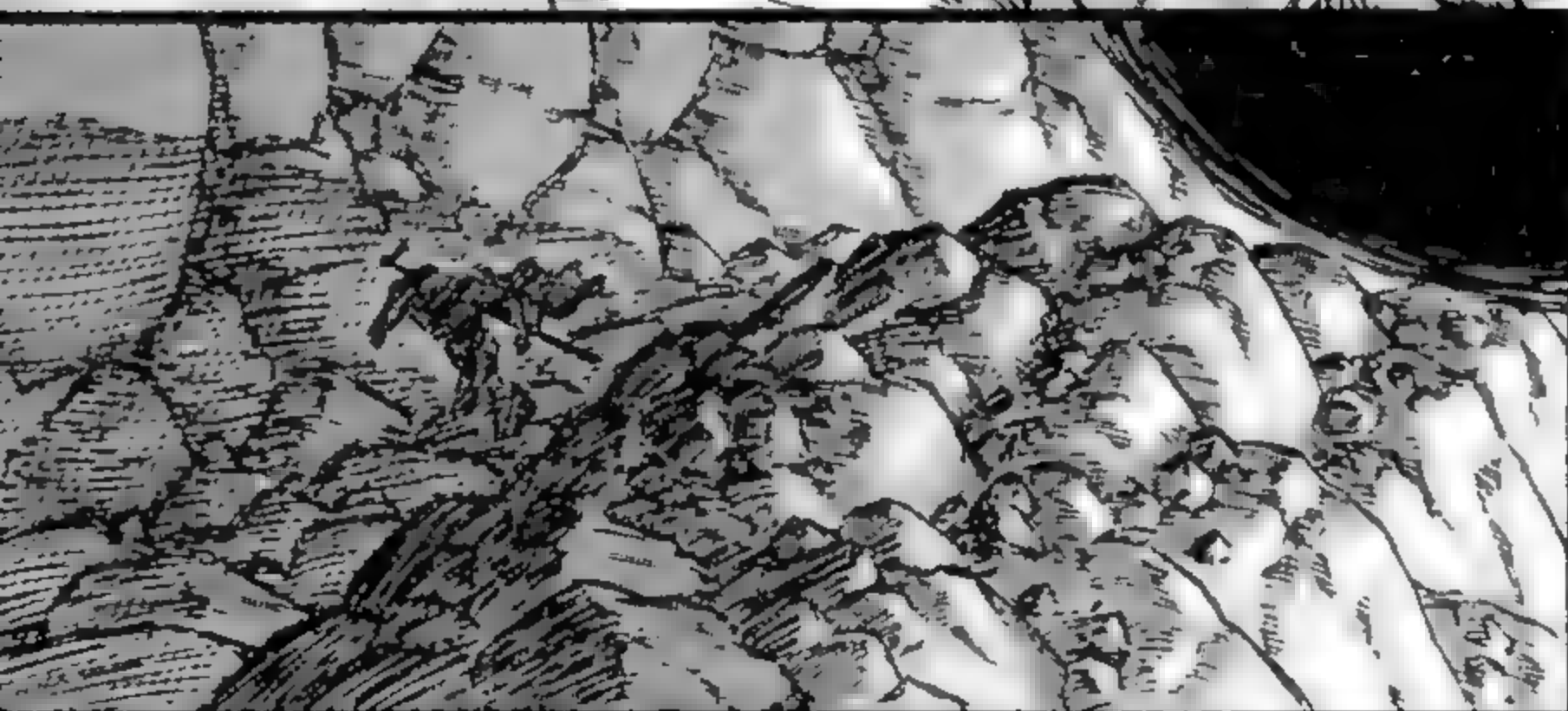
THESE'LL
COME IN
HANDY.

A BIT
LIKE MY
CANNON.

*HUHH

*HUHH

EXPLOSIVES,
EH?

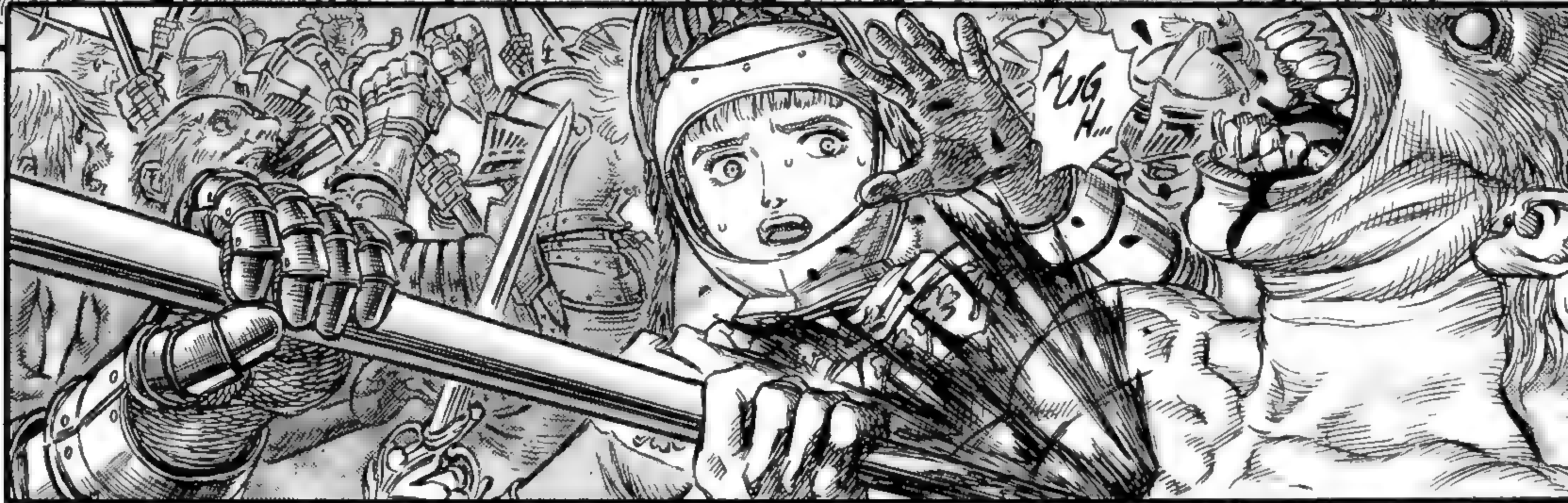


ガッパッパッ

*GCHAK

WHOOOPS.

NO
TIME TO
WASTE.



IT IS DANGEROUS
FOR OUR LEADER
TO EXPOSE
HERSELF TO A
MELEE LIKE THIS!!
PLEASE FALL
BACK TO THE
CAVE MOUTH
FOR NOW!!

LADY
FARNESE
!!





*FX: BYOOOO



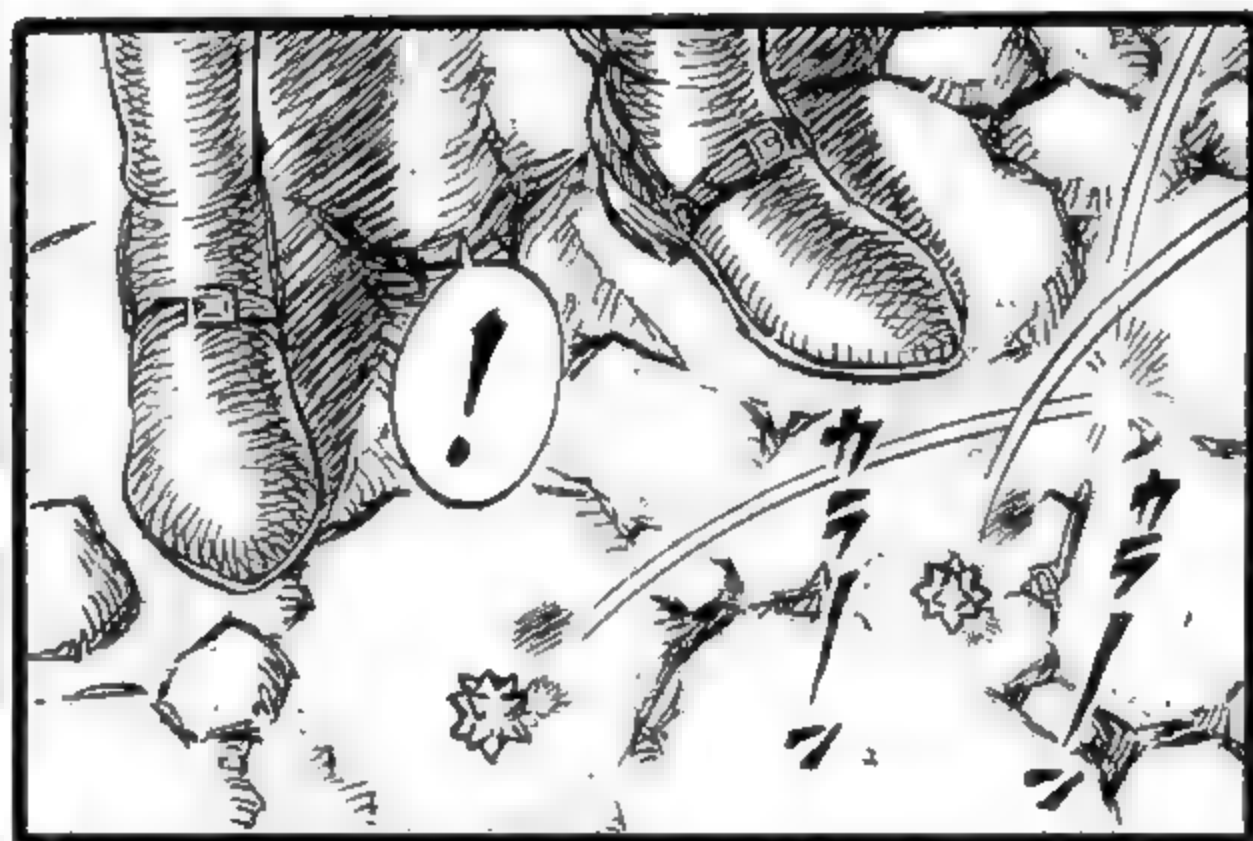


*FX DRRRR





*FX: BACHOOM



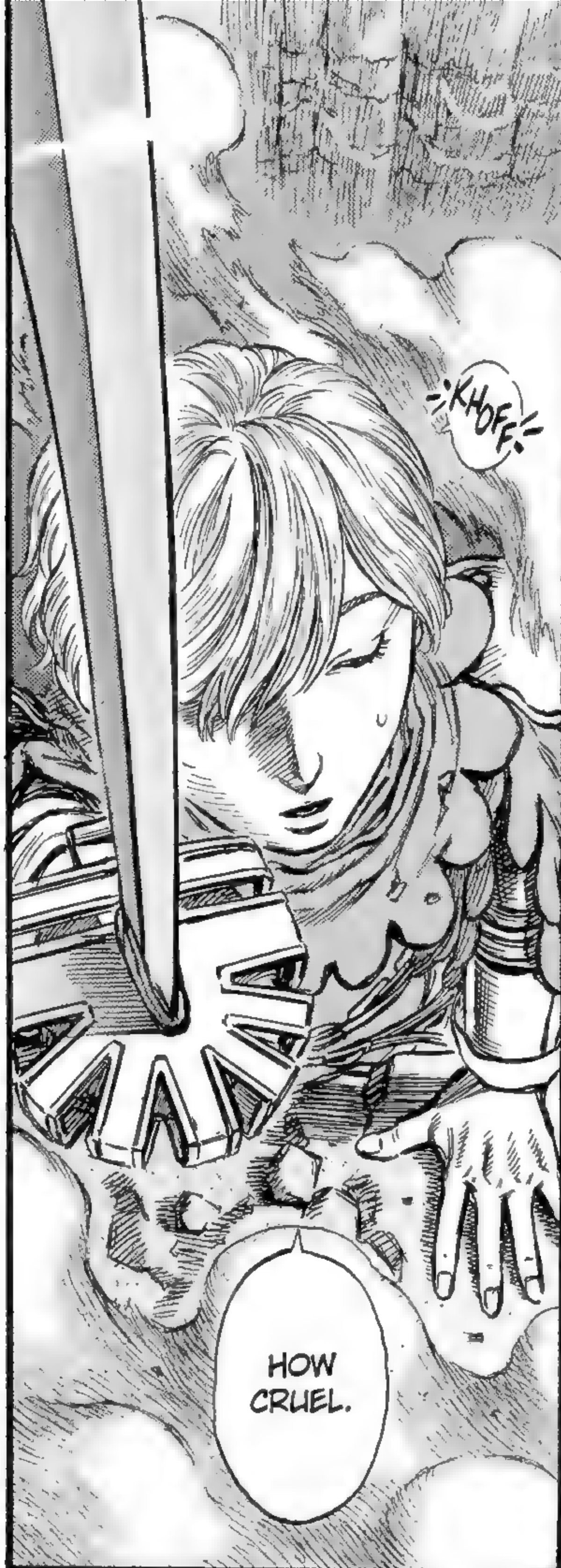
*FX: KLAK KLAK



HANDY.

*FX: GCHAK





HOW
CRUEL.





LOOK AT THIS.

WHAT NOW, MONKEY?

WAS THAT OLD FART GONNA JUMP HIS WAY TO DELIVERANCE OR SOMETHIN'?



UH... WHOAAA! THE PATH...!



I CAN'T DO IT.

I-I CAN'T... I'VE BARELY MADE IT THIS FAR.



SO LONG AS THIS'S HERE.

WELL, WELL.



THE PROBLEM IS THIS GIRL...

SO HIGH...

AGHH! I'M BEIN' SUCKED IN!



IT'S ALL RIGHT! YOU HANG TIGHT WHILE I LOWER YOU DOWN FROM ABOVE.

B-BUT...

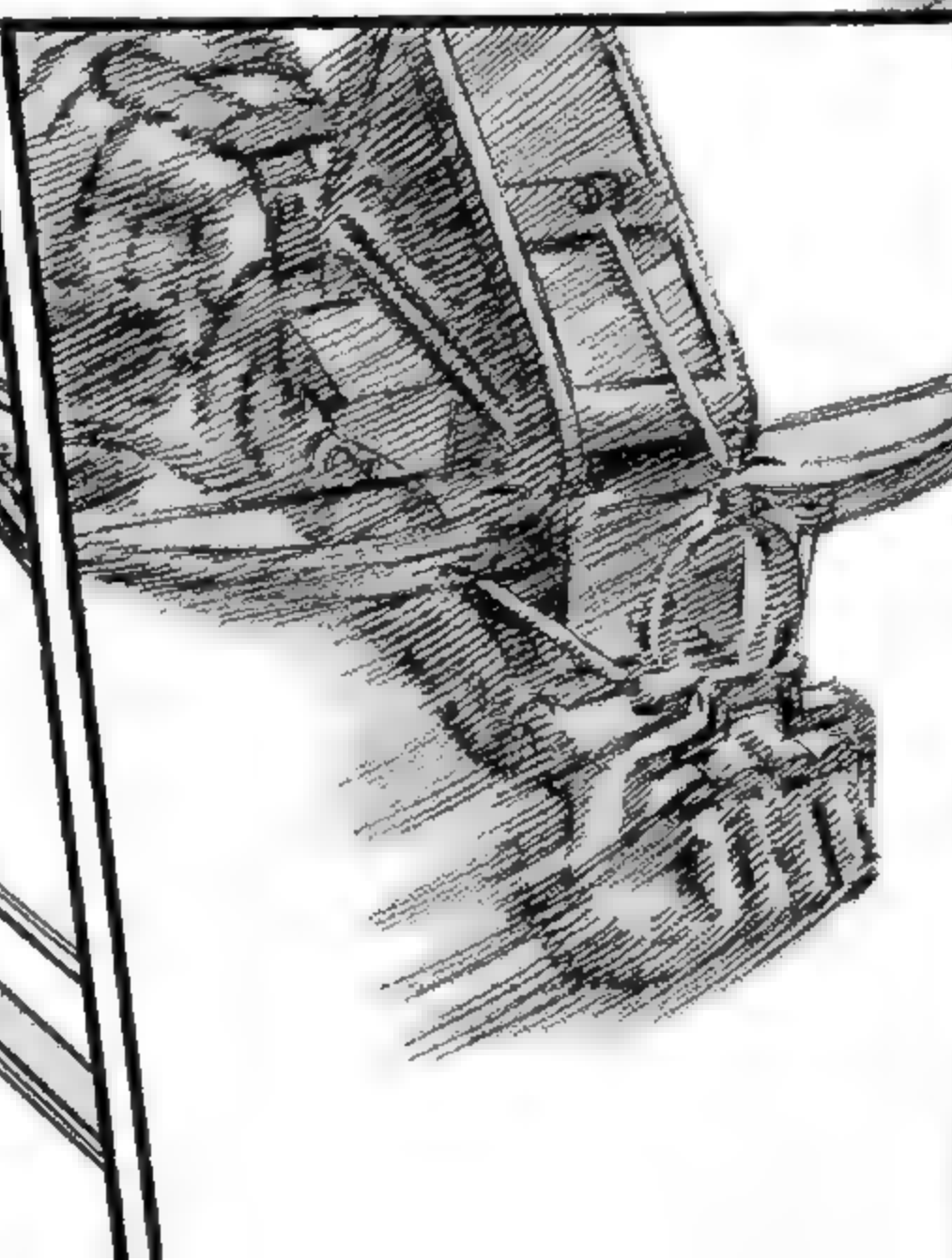
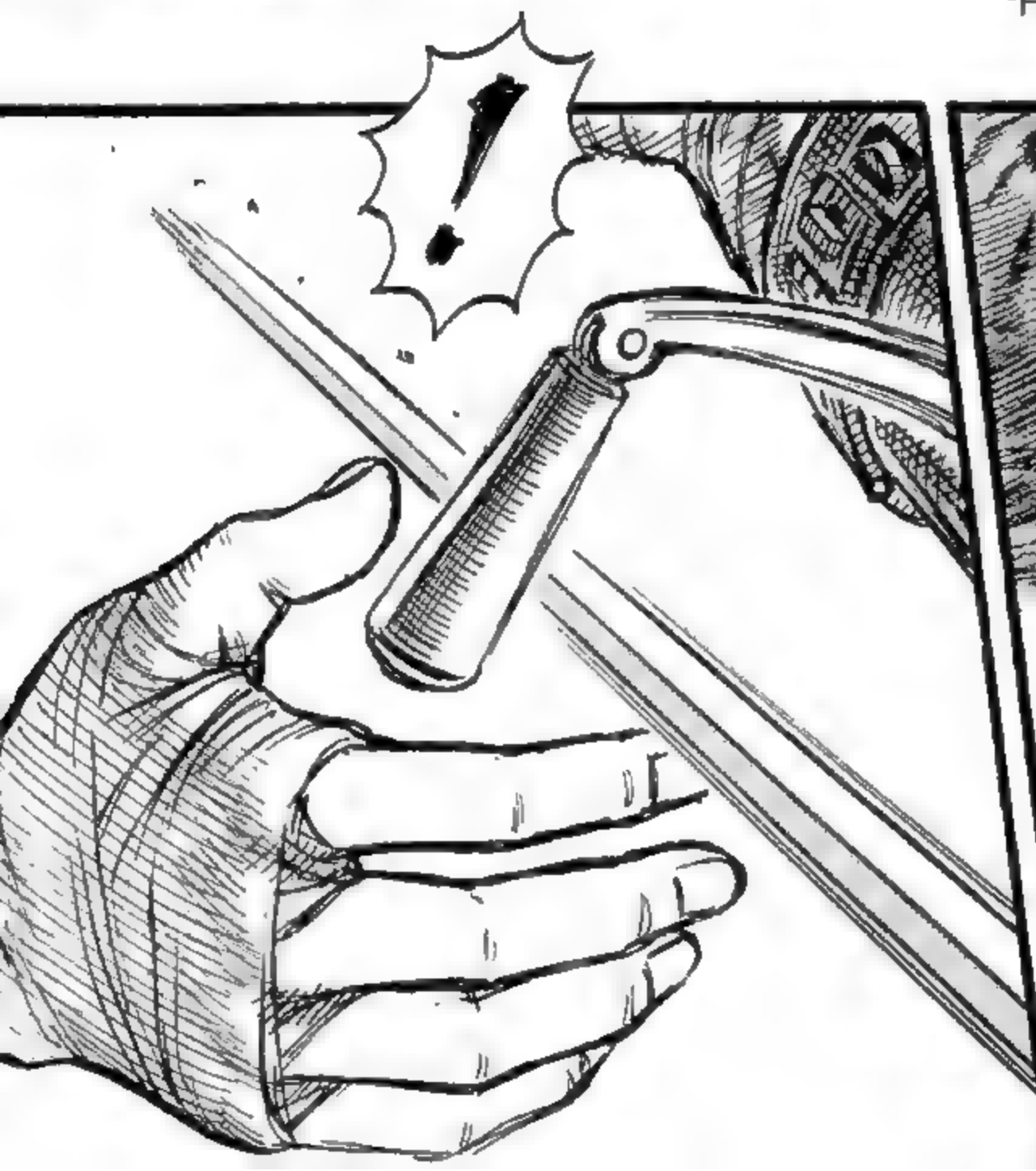


WH-WHAT'S BUNGIE?

OR ELSE YOU BUNGIE.

YE! NO! I'LL DO IT.

*FX: CHEW *FX: TWITCH TWITCH







IN ANY CASE,
I THINK IT WOULD
BE IMPRACTICAL FOR
YOU TO WIELD THAT
SWORD HERE IF YOU
DID DRAW IT.



POSITION,
PHYSIQUE,
TECHNIQUE,
EQUIPMENT...
ALL OF THEM
WORK AGAINST
YOU IN THIS
PLACE.



...THAT'S
WHY YOU
WAITED
HERE.

SO...



*FX: KRRSH

...CONFRONTING
YOU WITH
SHEER
NUMBERS IS
THE HEIGHT
OF FOLLY.

*CLANNG

FURTHER-
MORE...





...ARE
WORSE
THAN
ENEMIES.

ALLIES
INFECTED
WITH
FEAR...



...THE
TIDE OF
THE
BATTLE
TURNS.

ONCE YOU
CLUT DOWN
TEN MEN
WITH THAT
SWORD...



THIS
GUY'S
A...



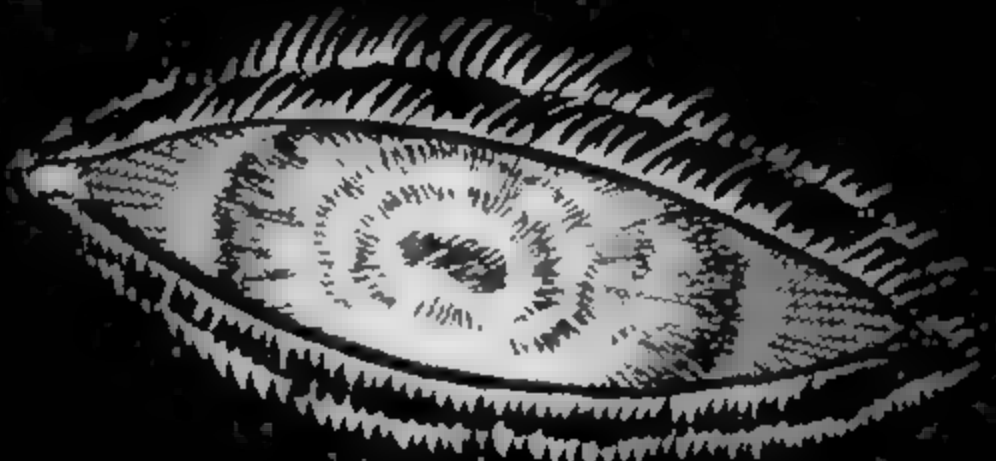
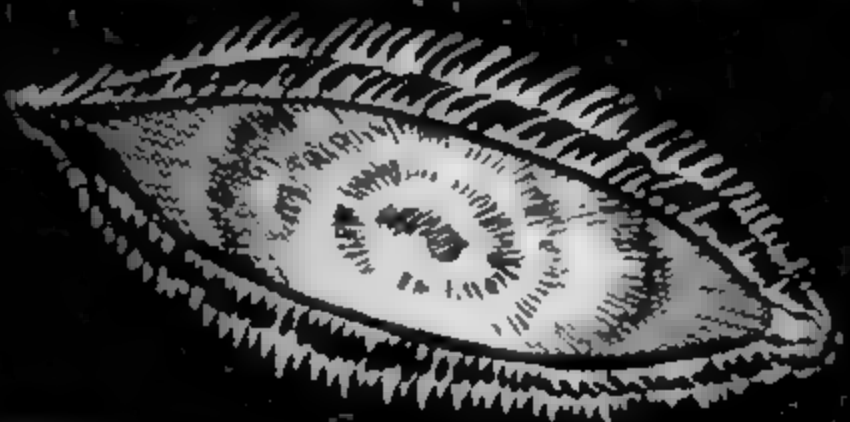
...
SKILLED...

...FIGHTER!!



YOU WILL
DISAPPEAR.

YOU ARE
A BIT TOO
DISTRESSING
TO MISTRESS
FARNESE.



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BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
AMBLISH: END

**CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY
CHAPTER**

THE CLIFF

断罪篇

生誕祭の章 断崖

BERSERK



THE
WESTERING
SUN IN
YOUR
EYES...



PRECARIOUS
FOOTING...



YOUR
LARGE
PHYSIQUE
AND HEAVY
EQUIP-
MENT...



YOUR
GOOD HAND
AGAINST
THE ROCK
WALL...

ALL
THESE
LIMIT
YOU.

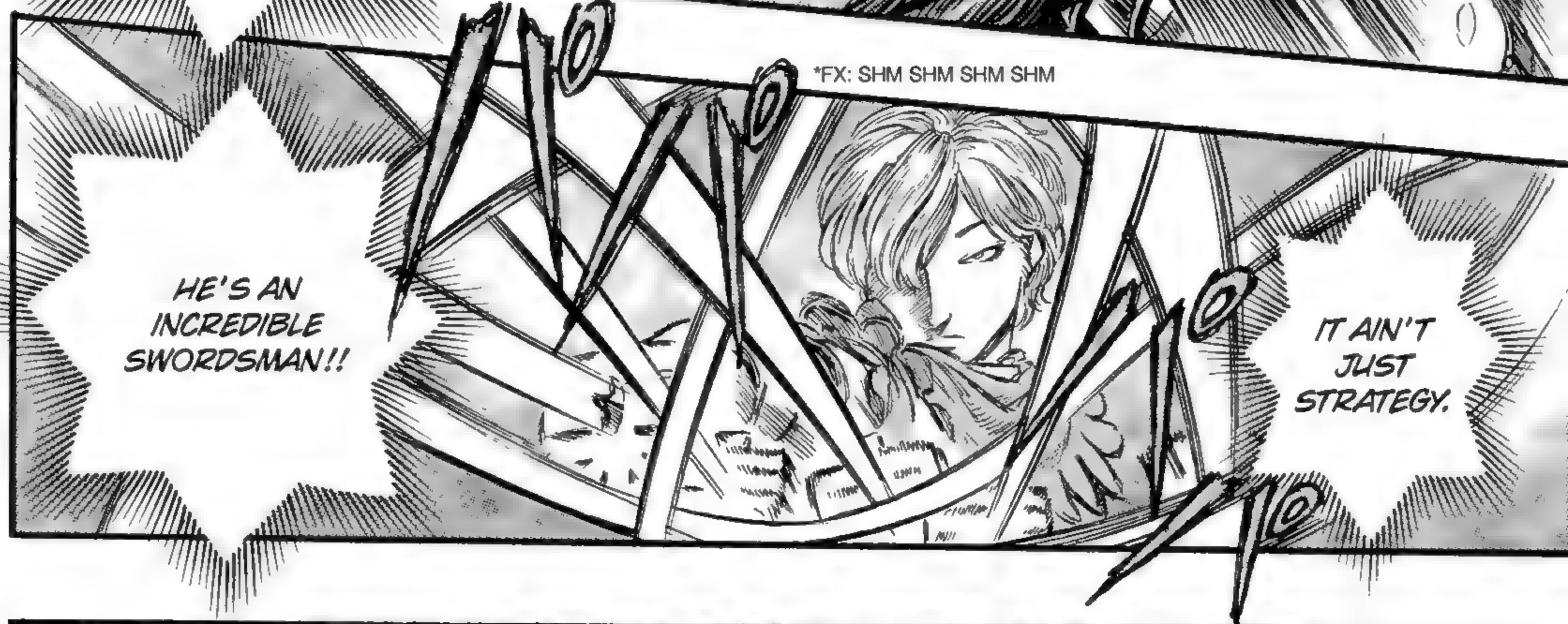


CLANG

THIS GUY'S
SOMETHIN'!!

HE WON'T
EVEN GIVE
ME A
CHANCE TO
DRAW!!

*FX: SHM SHM SHM SHM



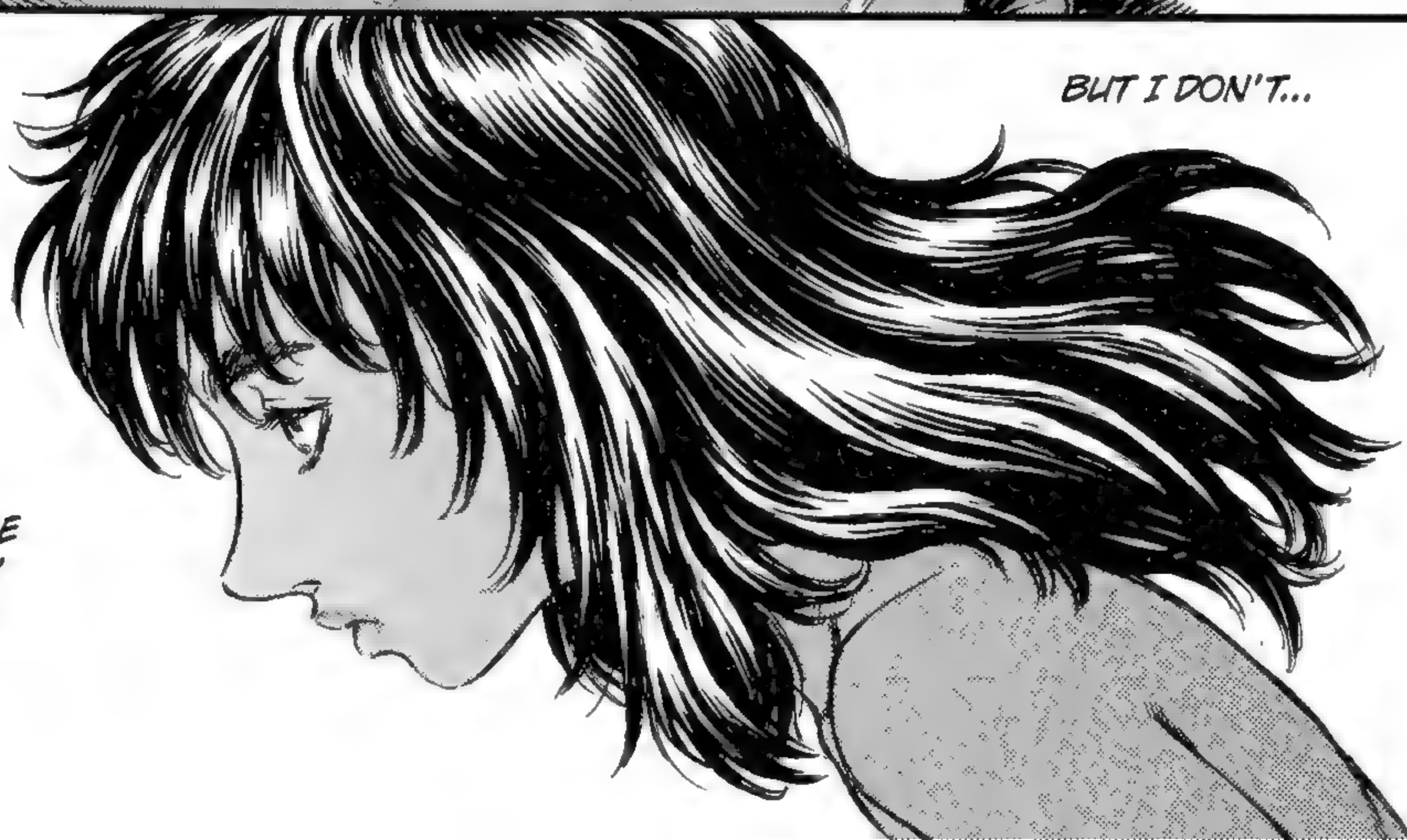
HE'S AN
INCREDIBLE
SWORDSMAN!!

IT AIN'T
JUST
STRATEGY.



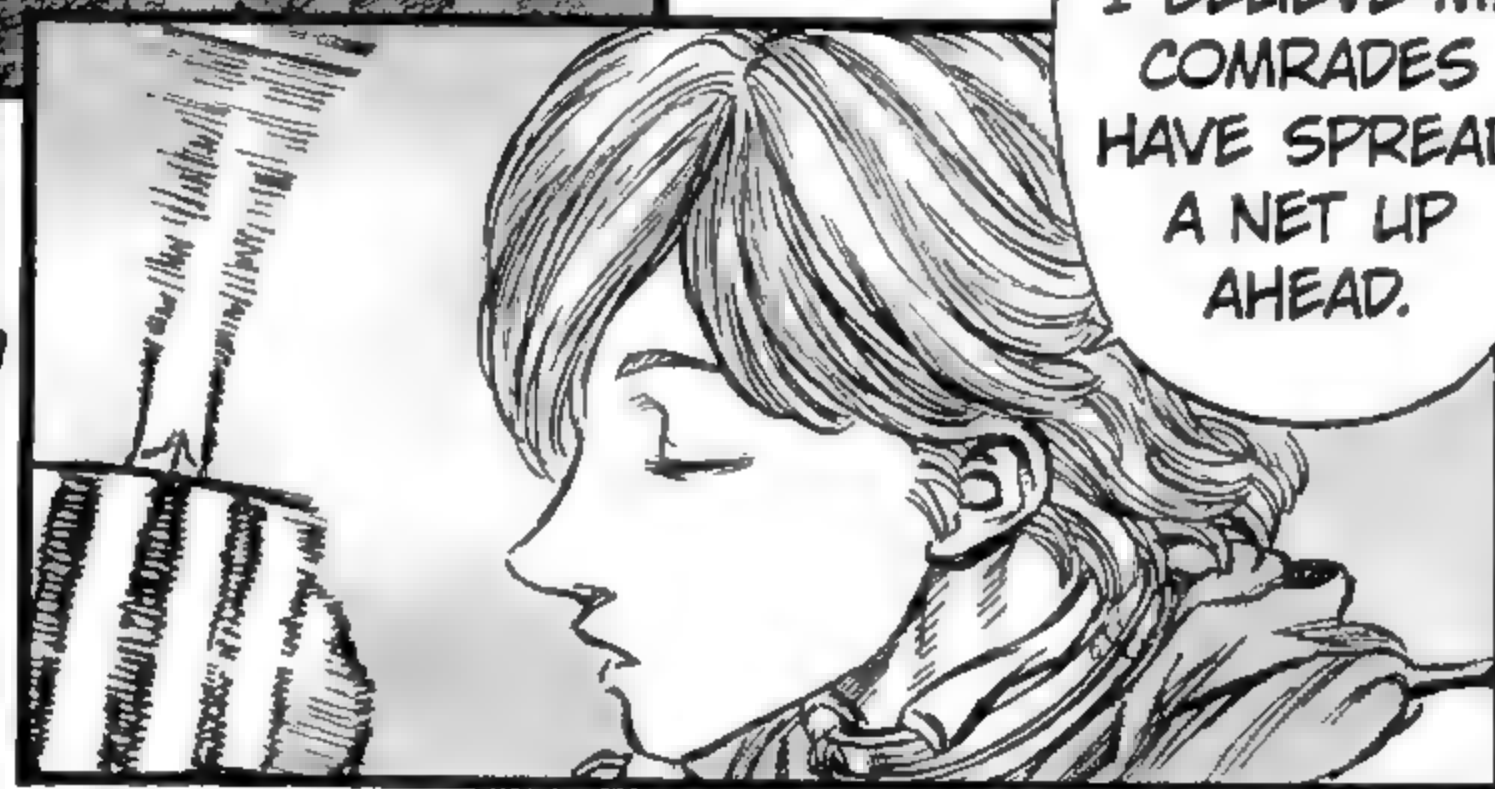
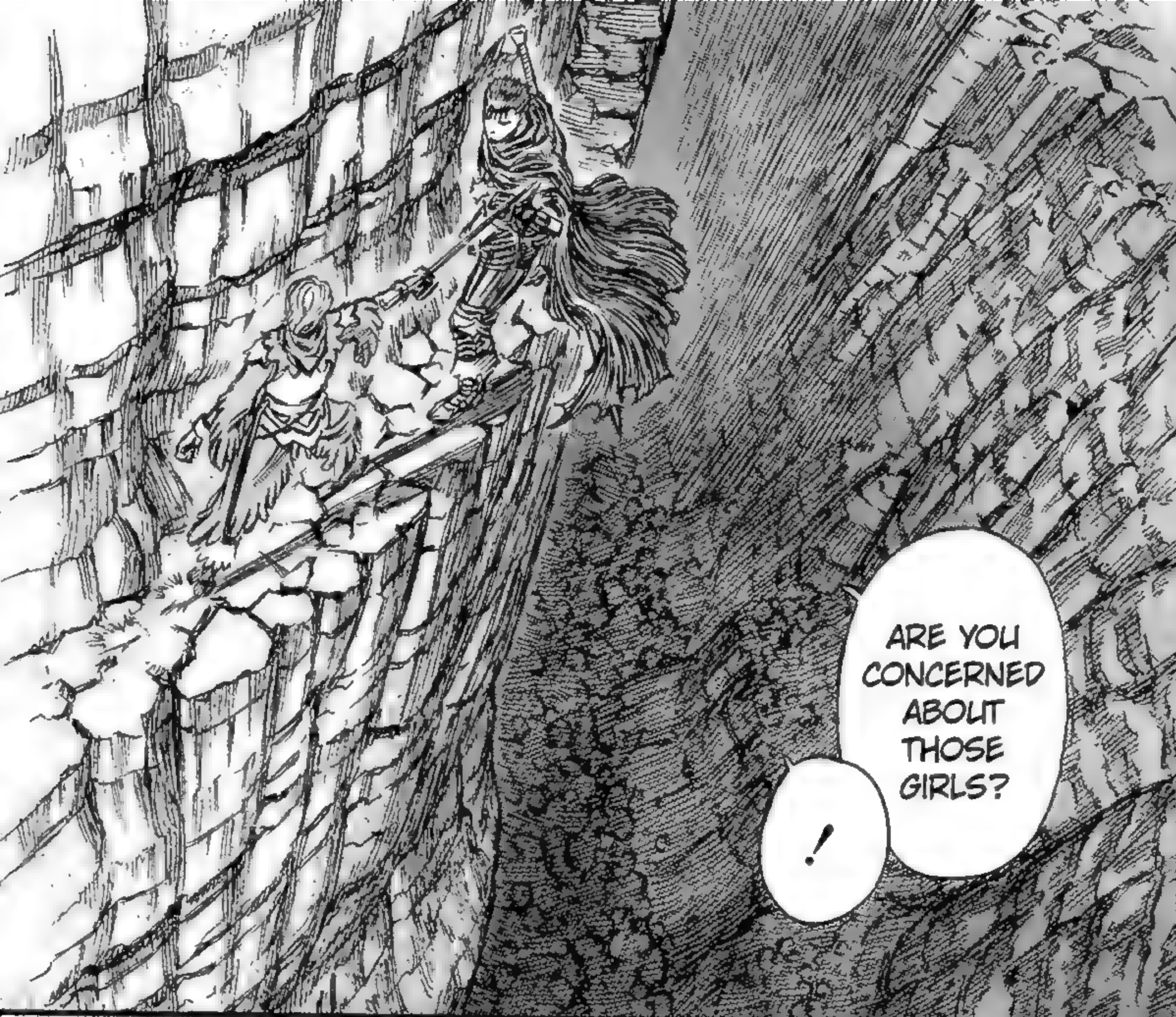
THIS IS
A LOT
HARDER
THAN THAT
PSEUDO-
APOSTLE
WAS!!

HE KEEPS
CHANGIN'!
I CAN'T
READ HIM!!



BUT I DON'T...

...HAVE TIME
TO SCREW
AROUND
HERE...



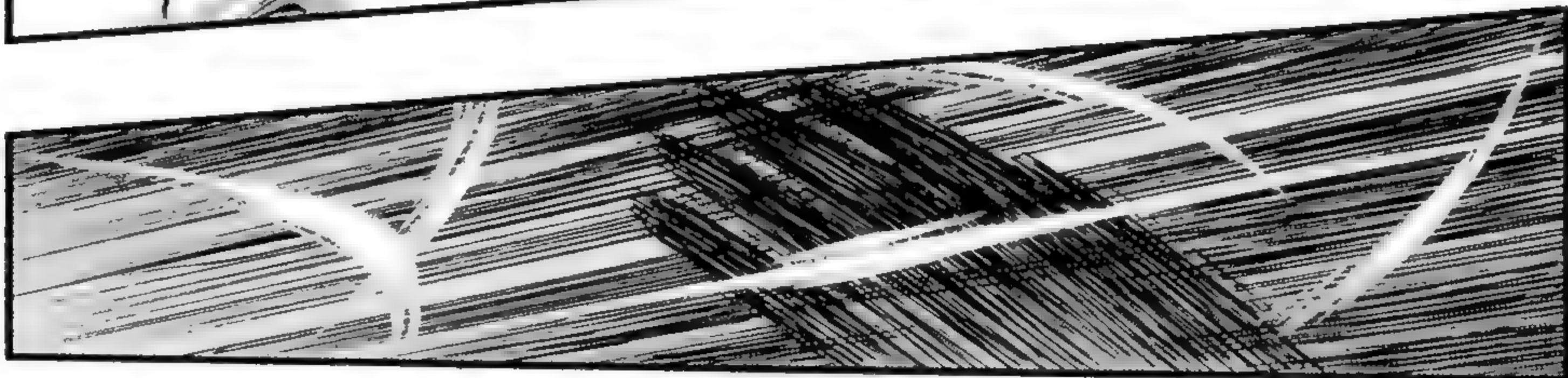
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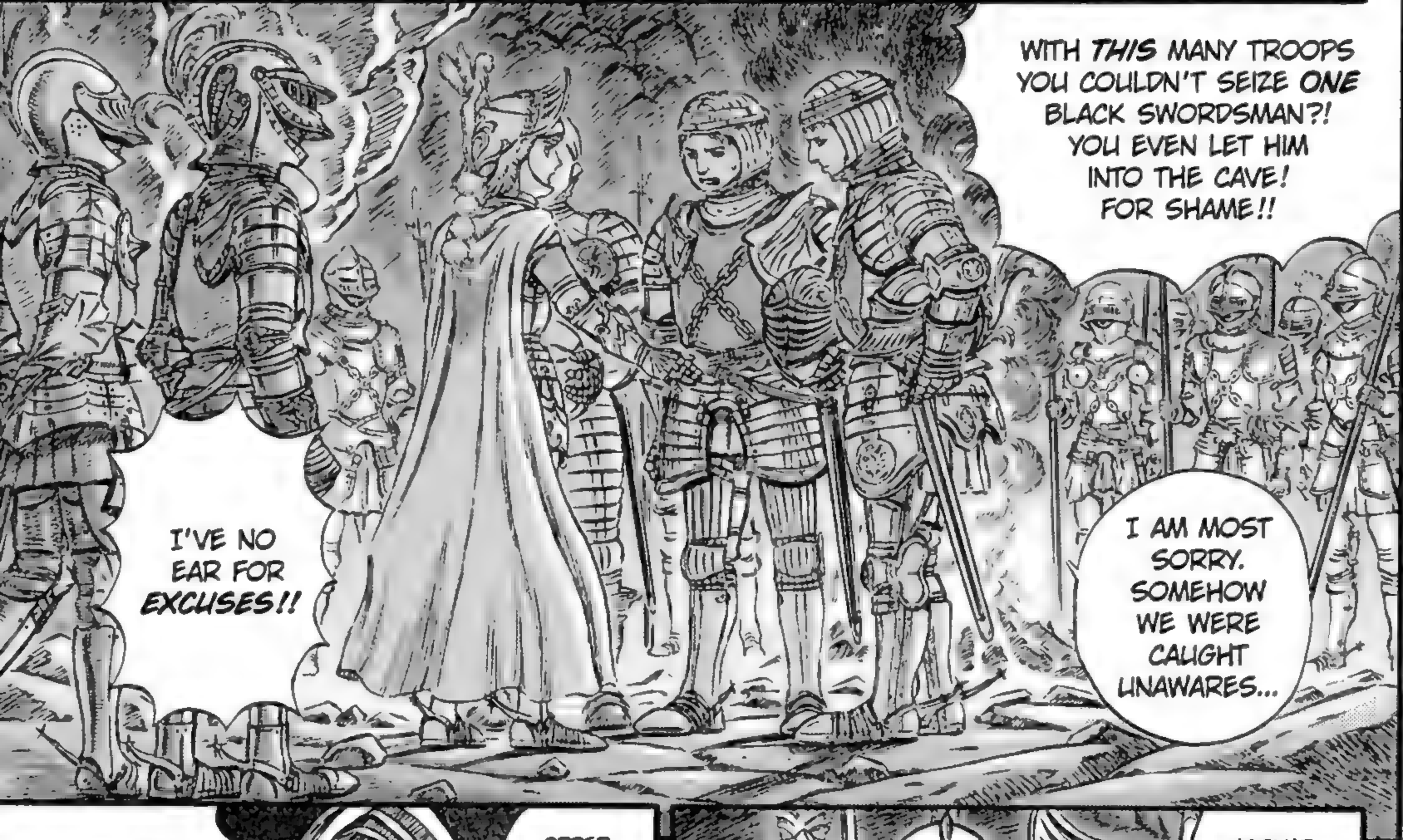
*FX: SHPA





*FX: SHM SHM SHM





WITH *THIS* MANY TROOPS
YOU COULDN'T SEIZE ONE
BLACK SWORDSMAN?!
YOU EVEN LET HIM
INTO THE CAVE!
FOR SHAME!!

I'VE NO
EAR FOR
EXCUSES!!

I AM MOST
SORRY.
SOMEHOW
WE WERE
CAUGHT
UNAWARES...

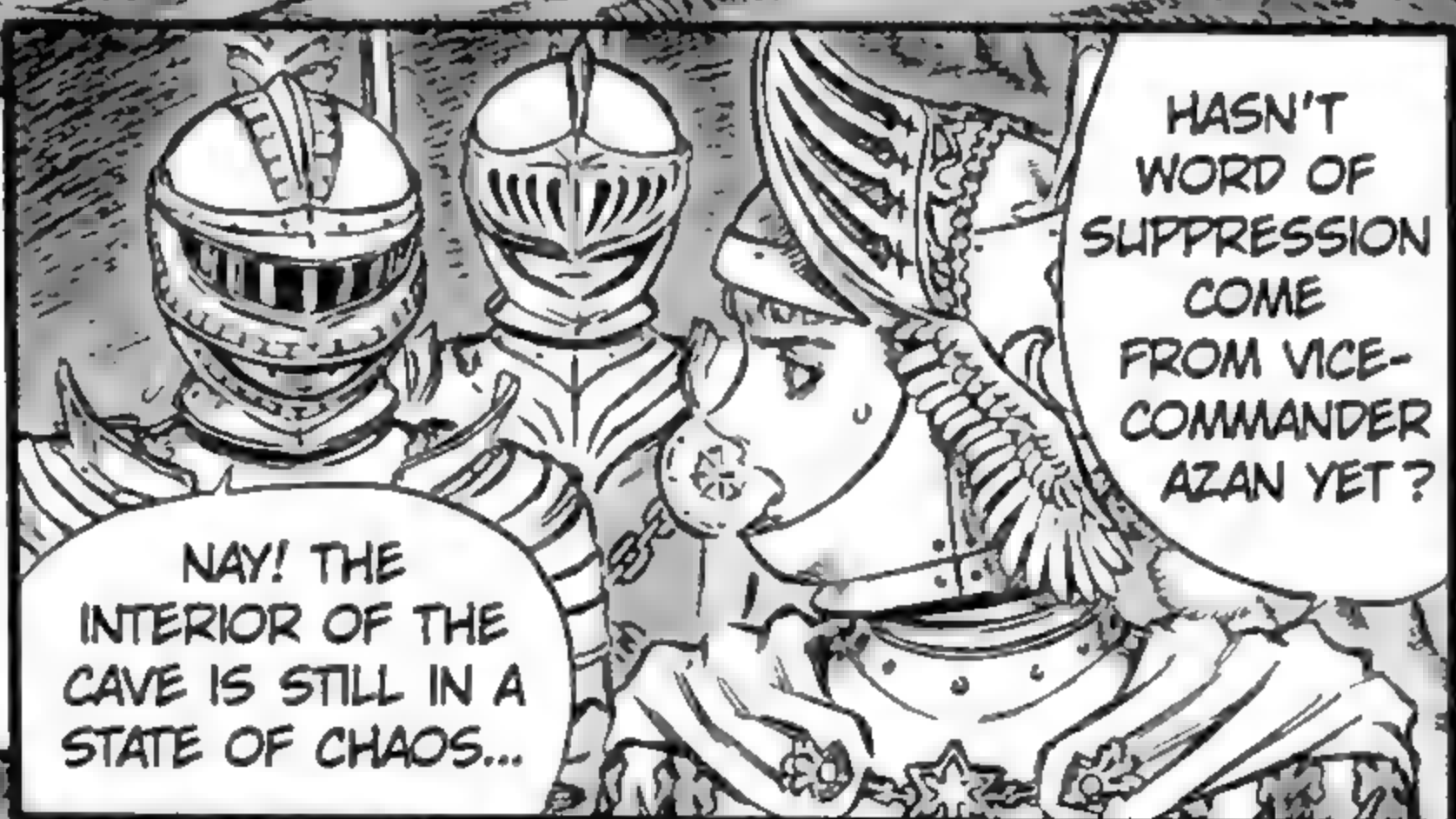


I CARE NOT!!
THIS IS YOUR
COMMANDER'S
ORDER!!

SHE'S REALLY
OUT OF HAND...
WHERE'D HER
SHADOW GO?

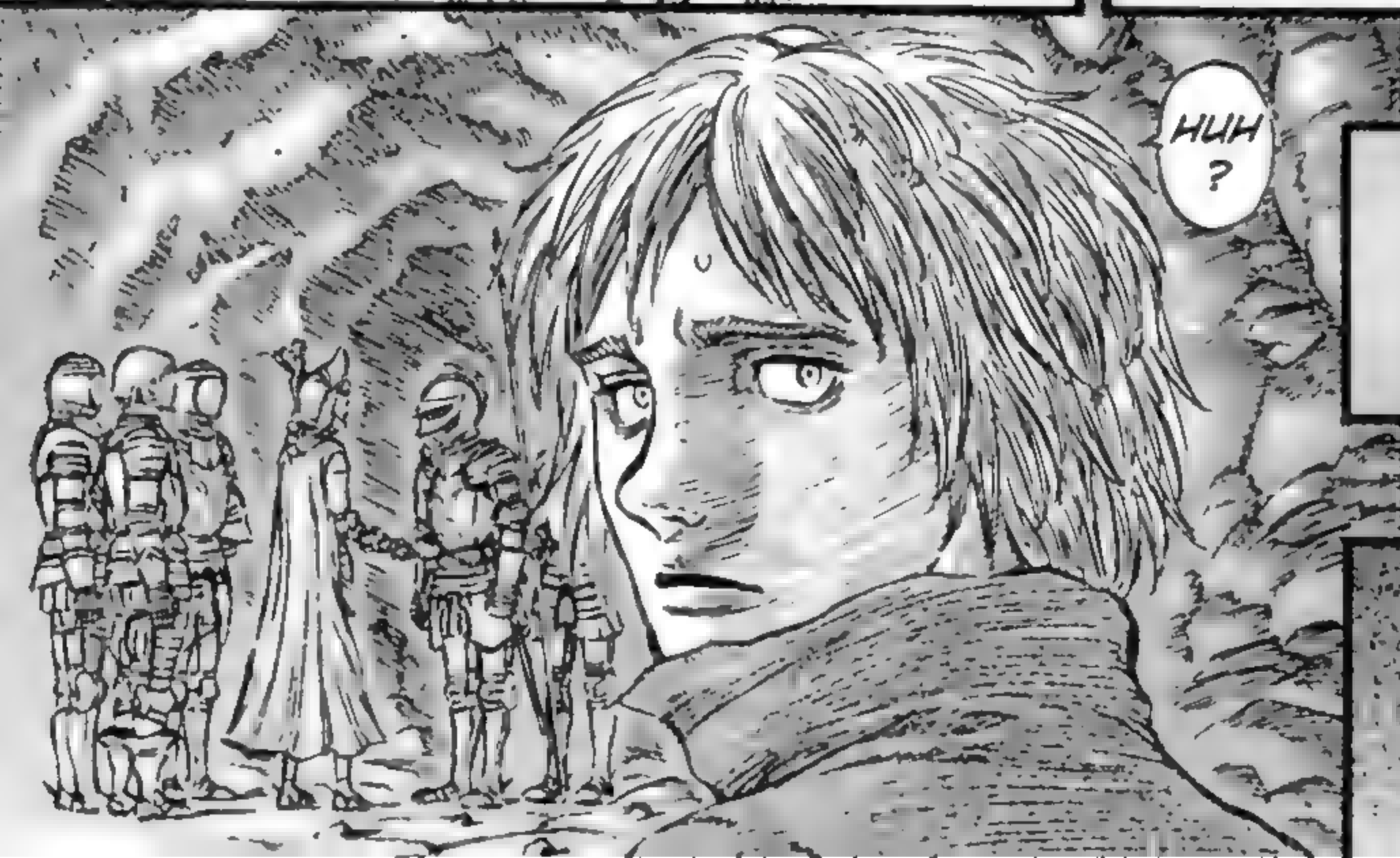
ORDER
THREE MORE
UNITS IN.

Y-YES,
BUT THE VICE-
COMMANDER
SAID THAT
REINFORCE-
MENTS WILL
ONLY FURTHER
COMPLICATE THE
SITUATION...



HASN'T
WORD OF
SUPPRESSION
COME
FROM VICE-
COMMANDER
AZAN YET?

NAY! THE
INTERIOR OF THE
CAVE IS STILL IN A
STATE OF CHAOS...



HUH
?



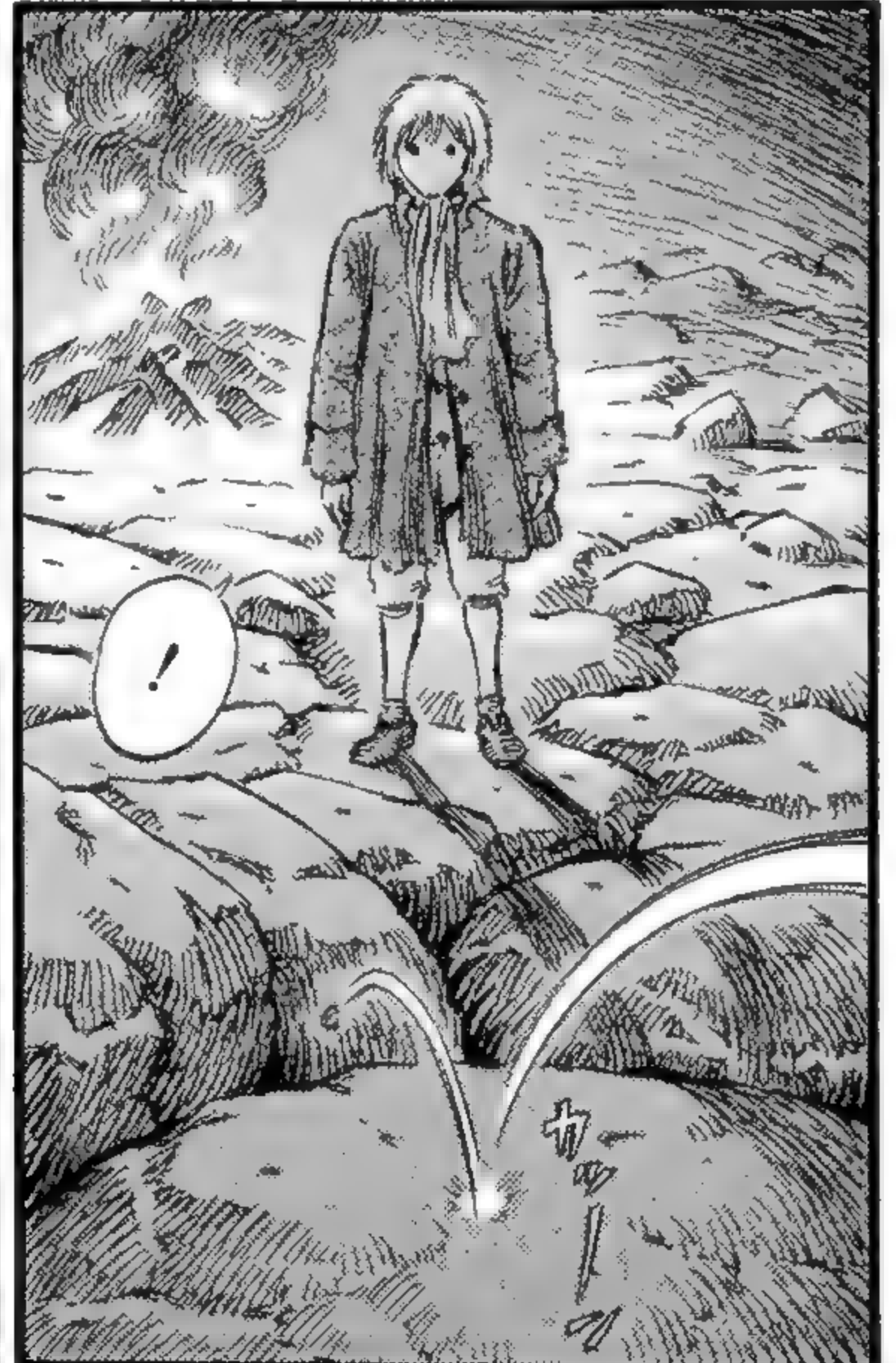
*FX: HYNN

*FX: TOK





*FX: CLATA



*FX: KTAK



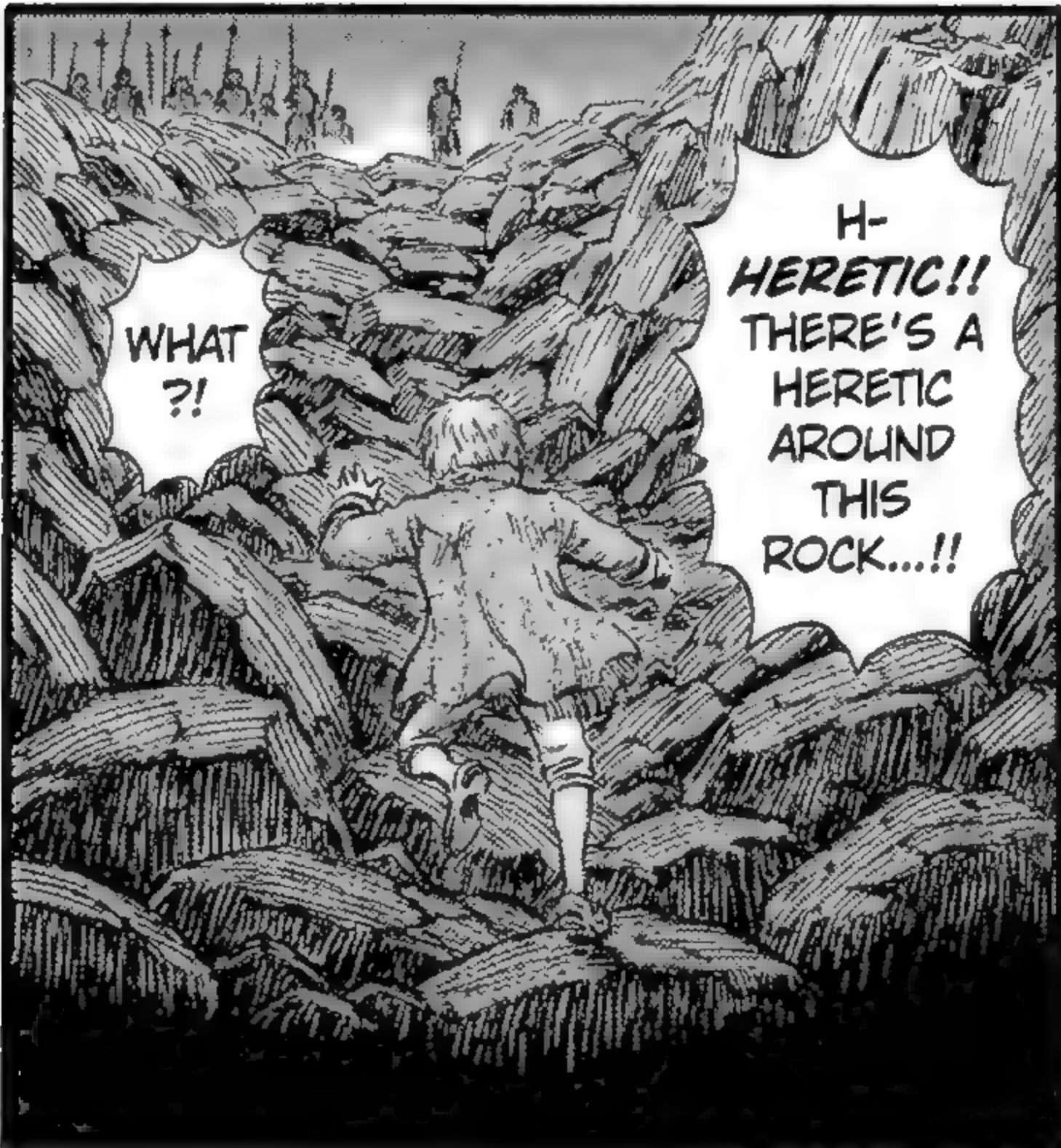




YOU'RE...
... ALIVE
...

JOACHIM.

*FX: BOLT



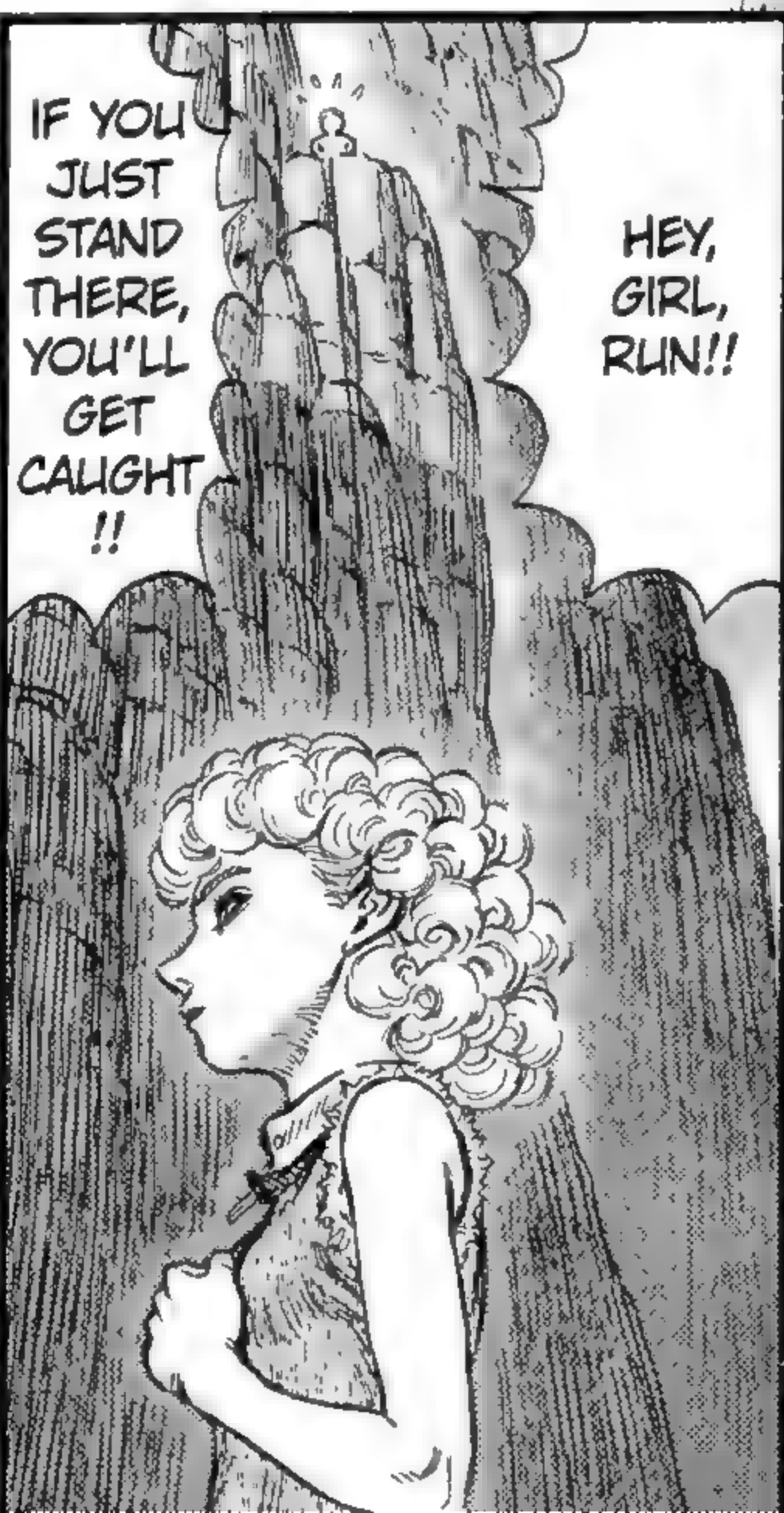
WHAT
?!

H-
HERETIC!!
THERE'S A
HERETIC
AROUND
THIS
ROCK....!!



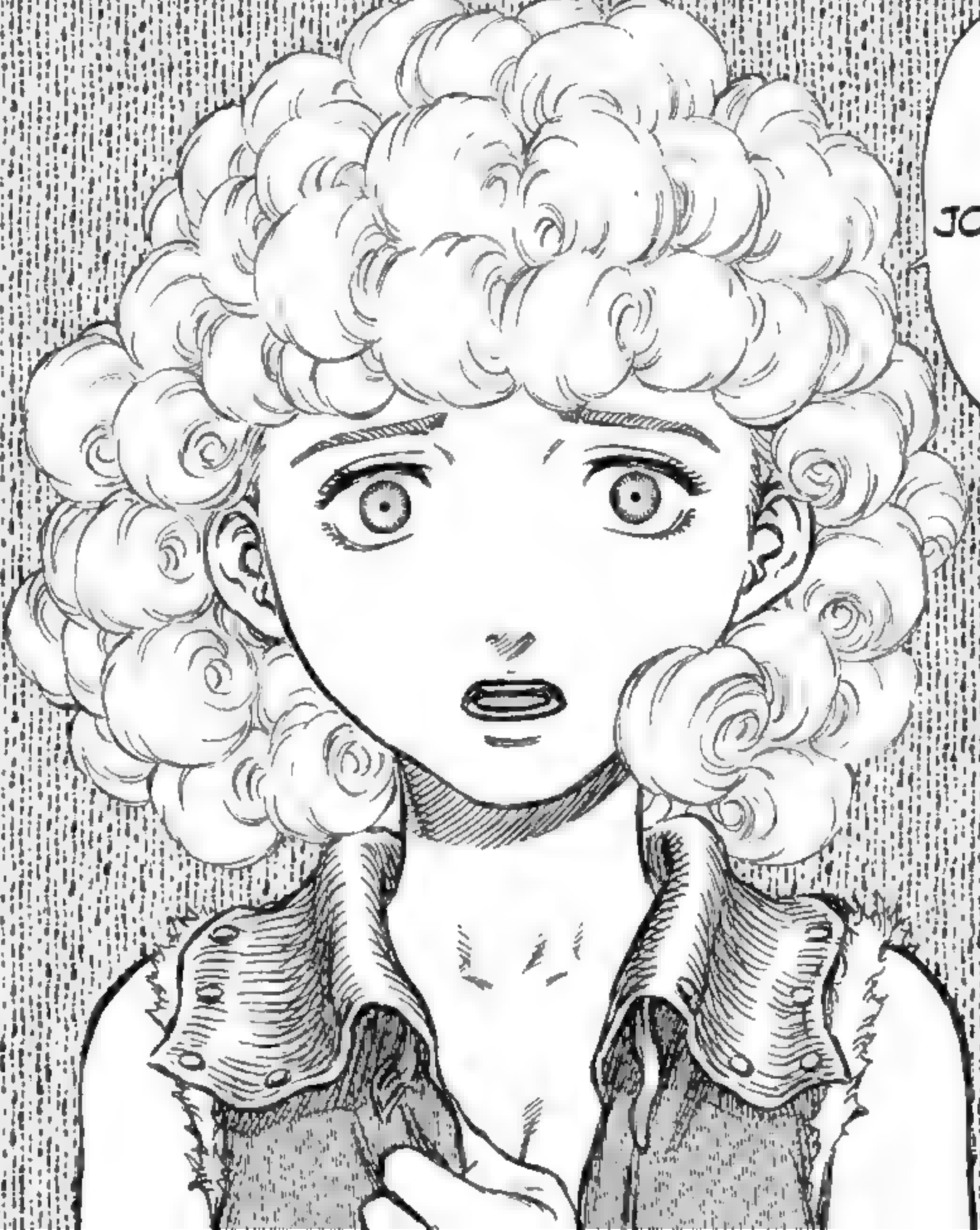
AH
...

7!!



IF YOU
JUST
STAND
THERE,
YOU'LL
GET
CAUGHT
!!

HEY,
GIRL,
RUN!!



JOACHIM...



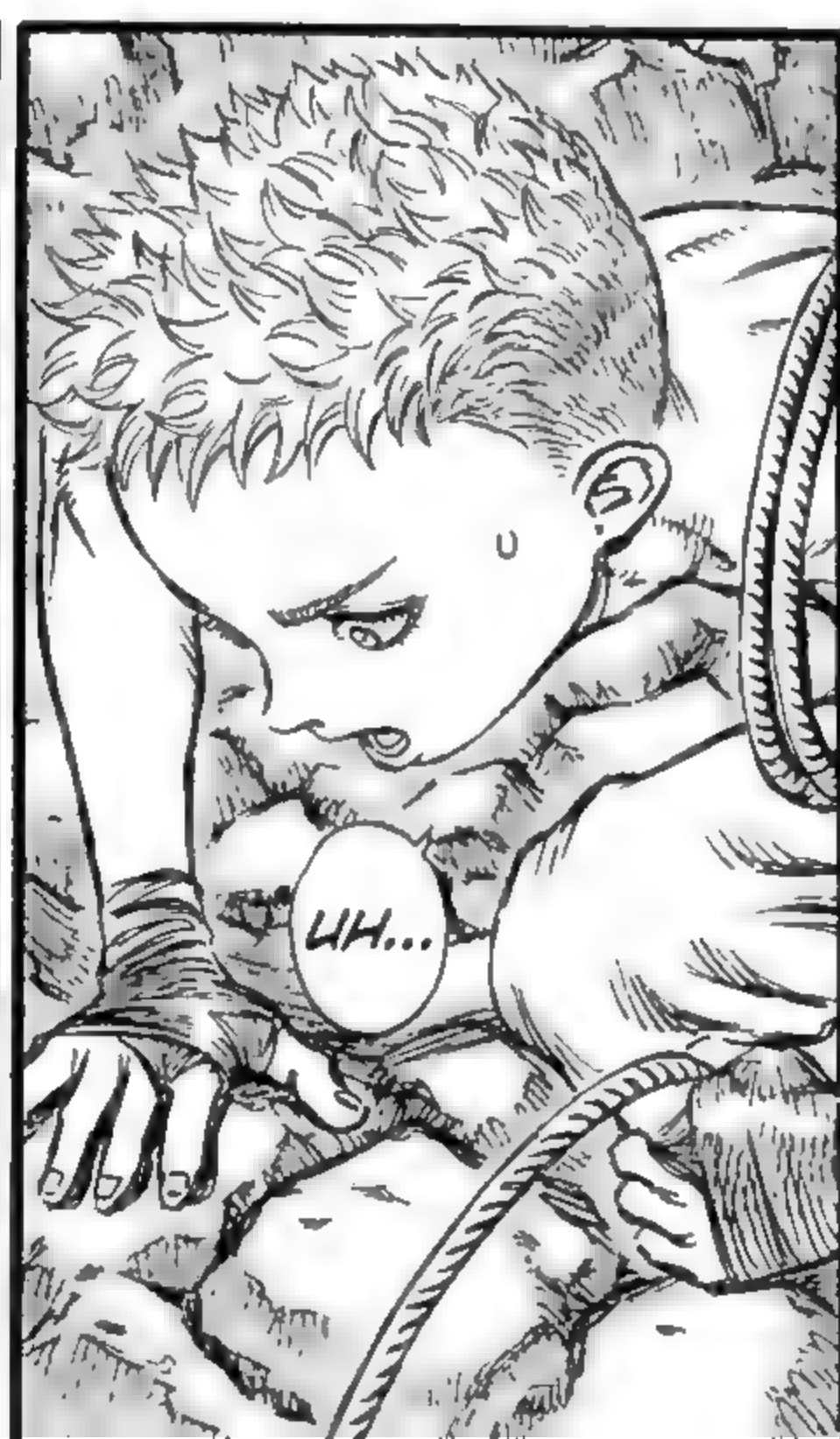
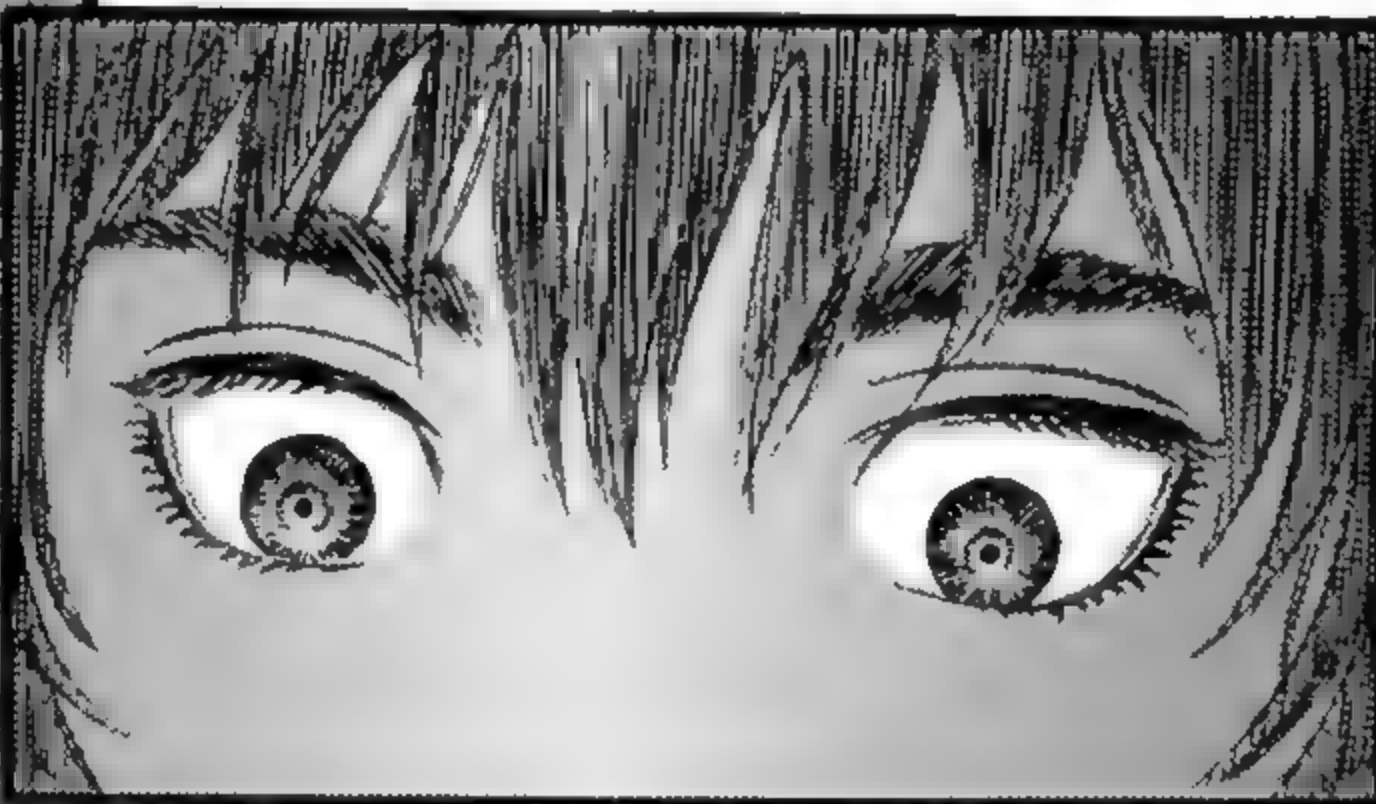
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*FX: SQUIRM



*FX: FWOOMP





*FX BOINNG

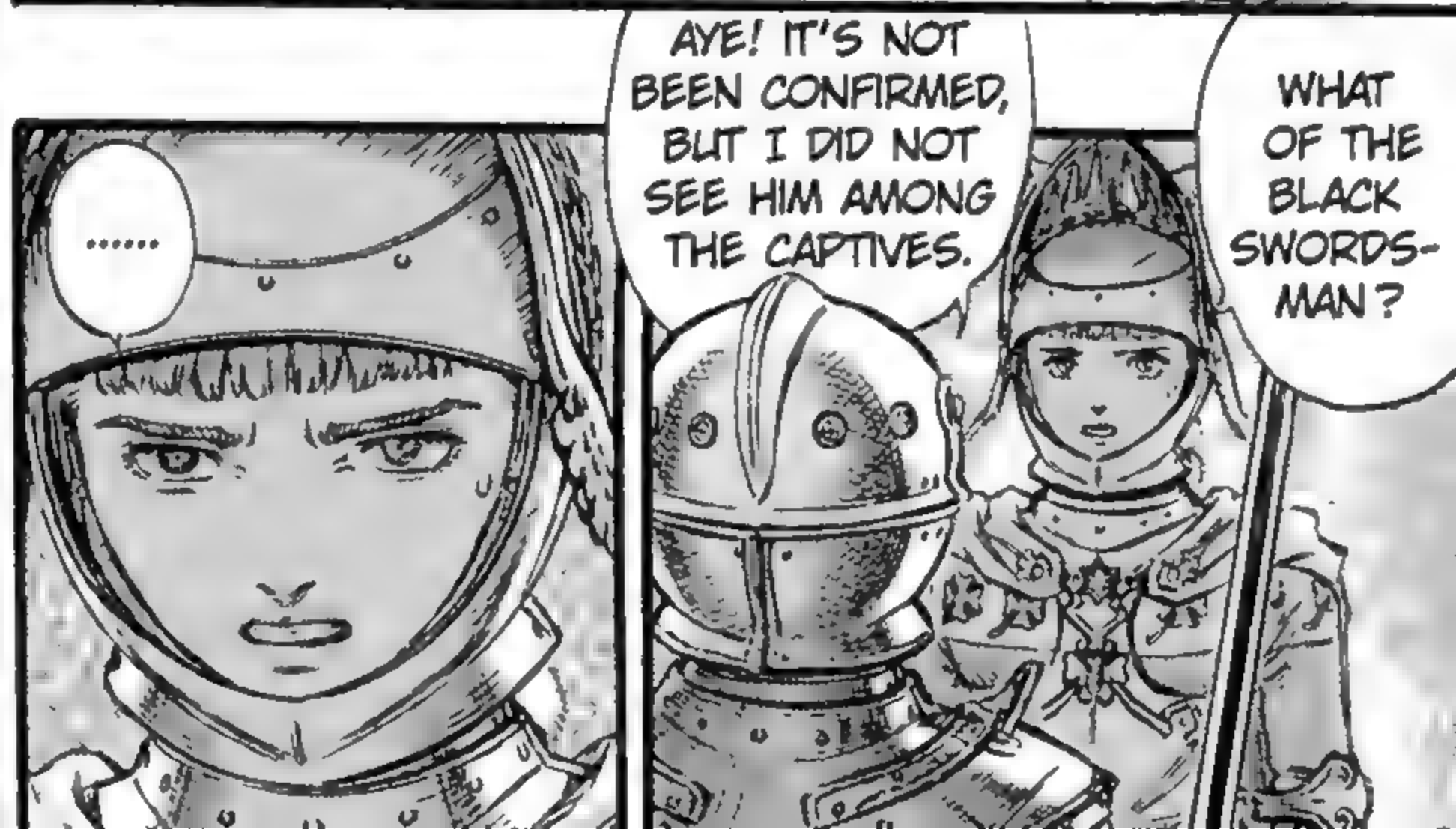
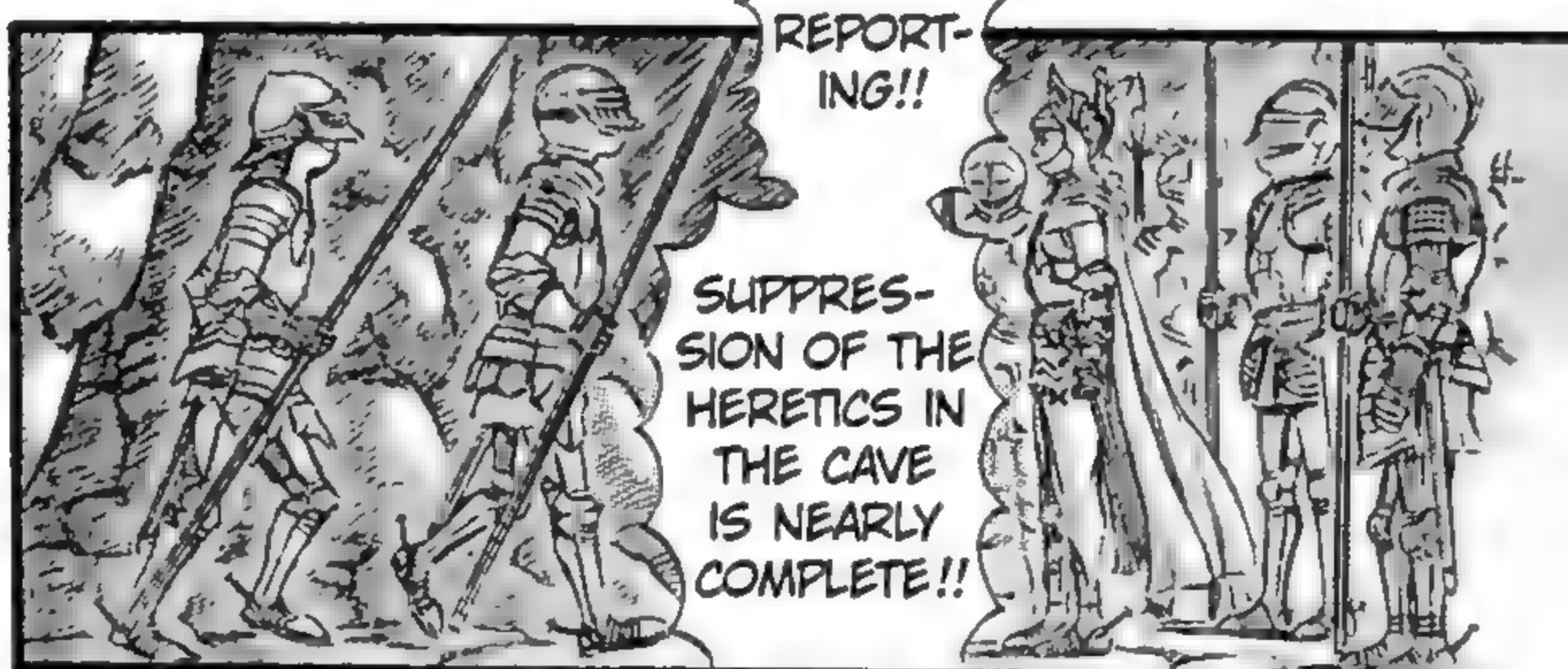


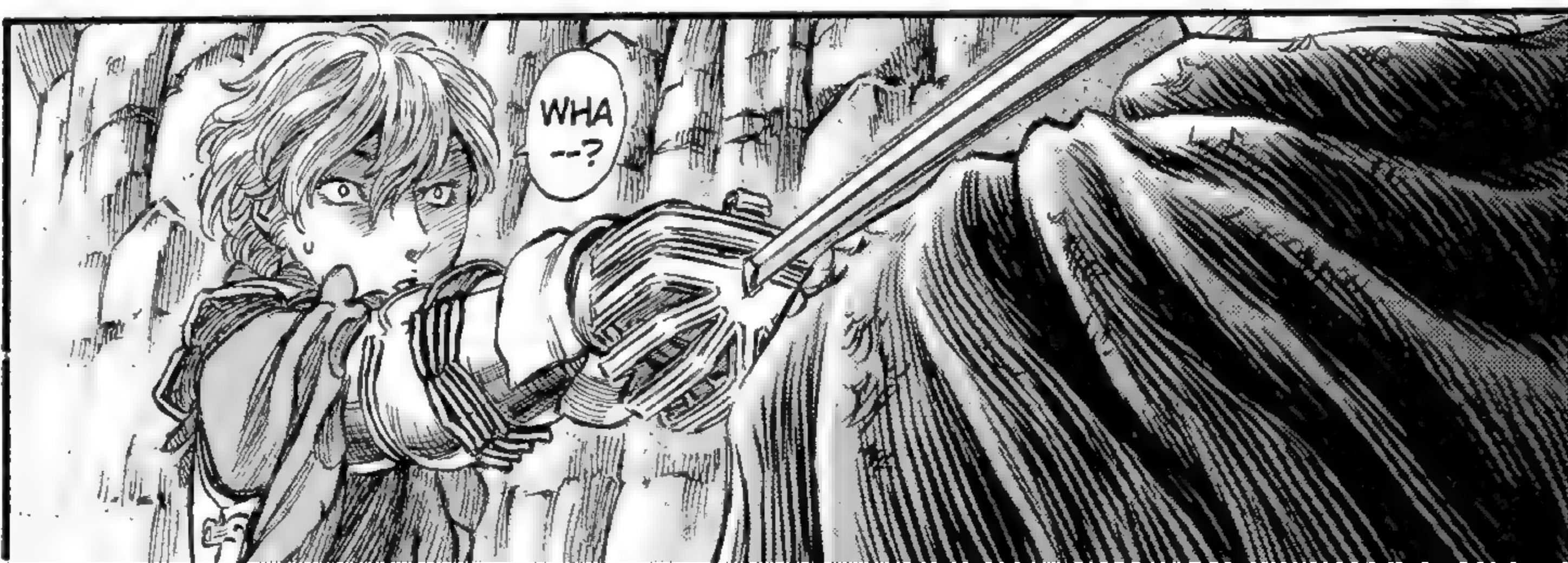
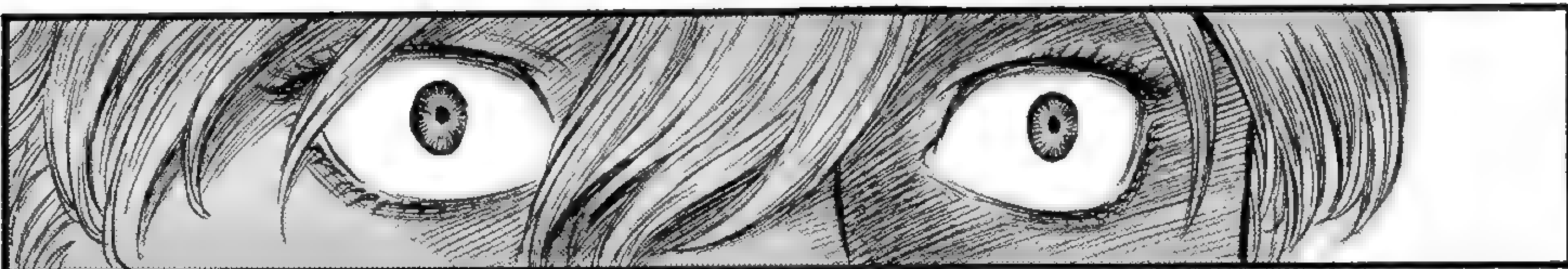
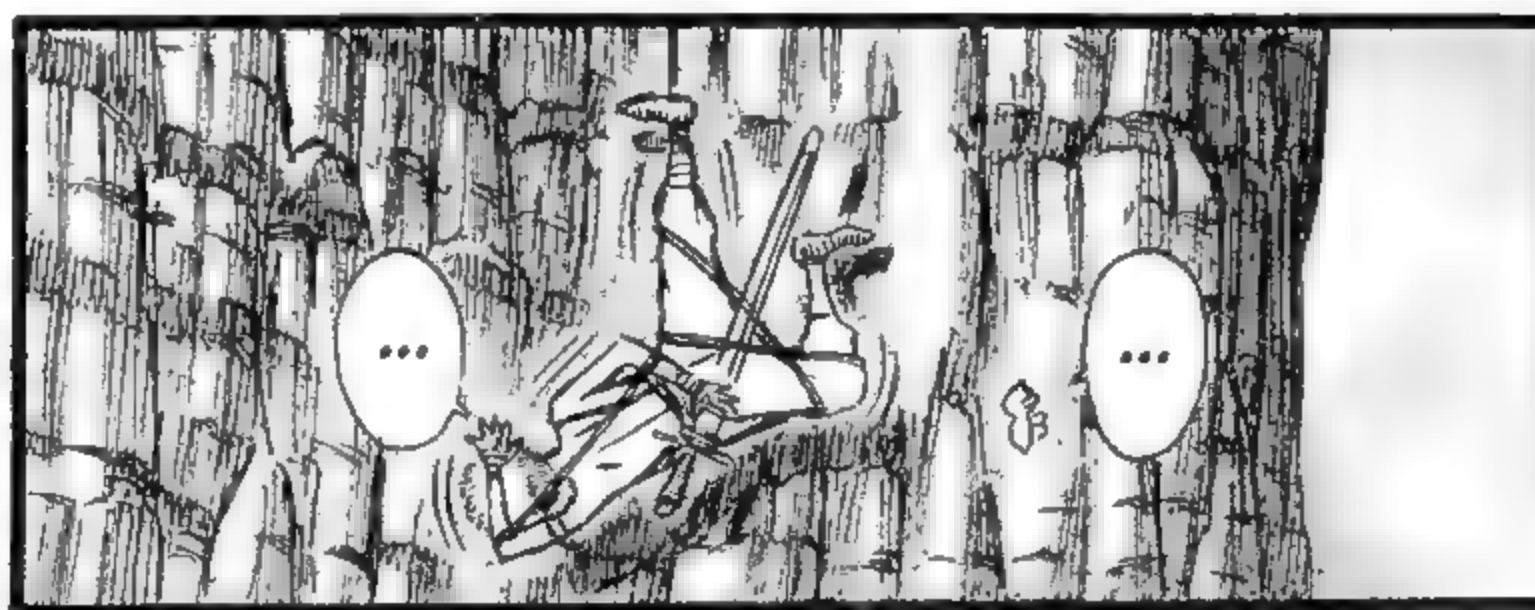
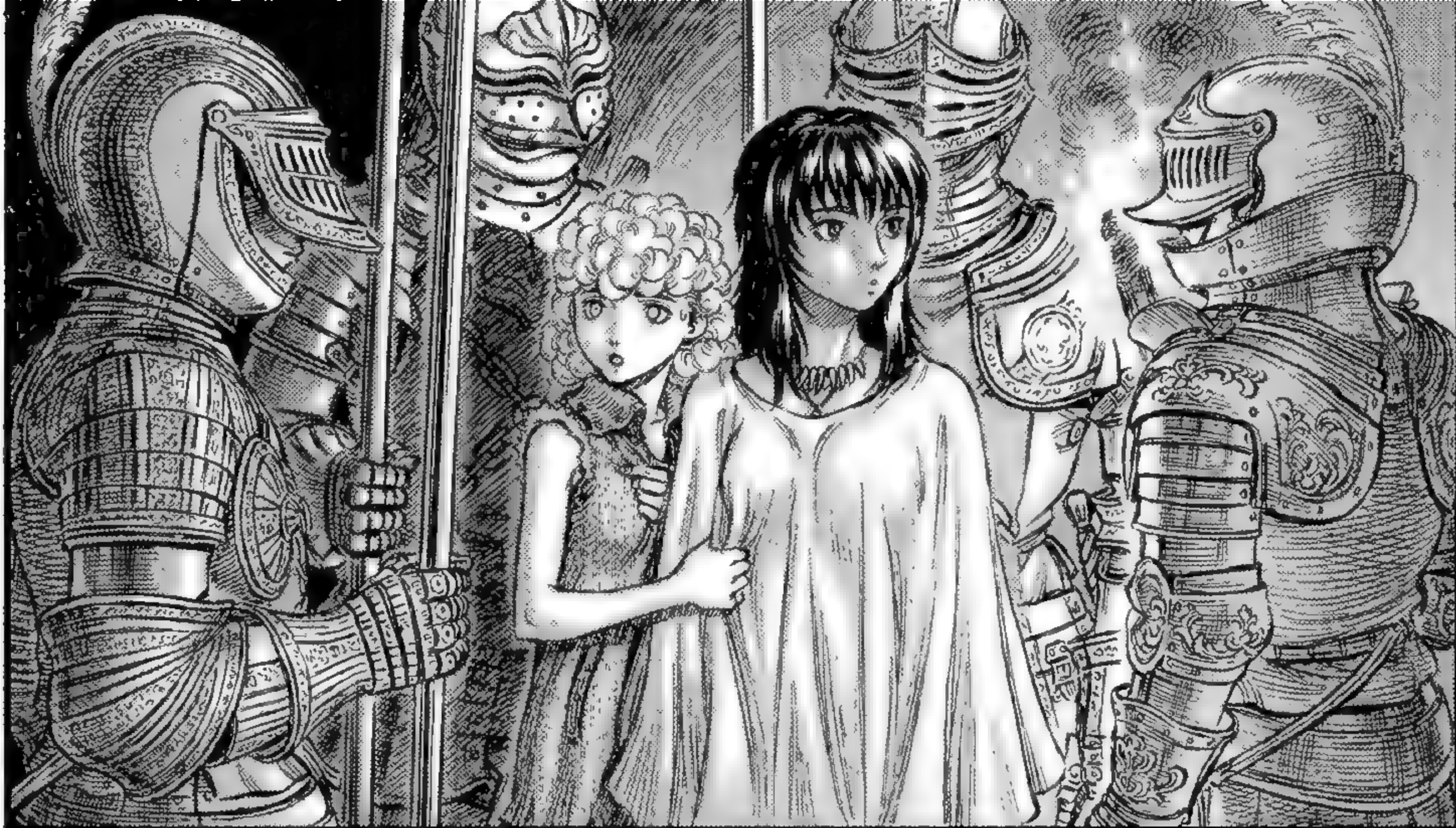
*FX: WRAP WRAP



*FX: DORAHHH

*FX: LEAP







ABSURD?
NOT AT
ALL.

*FX: CHAK



ARE YOU
CERTAIN?
IF I DRAW
BACK THE
SWORD
NOW...



WHAT
REFLEXES!!

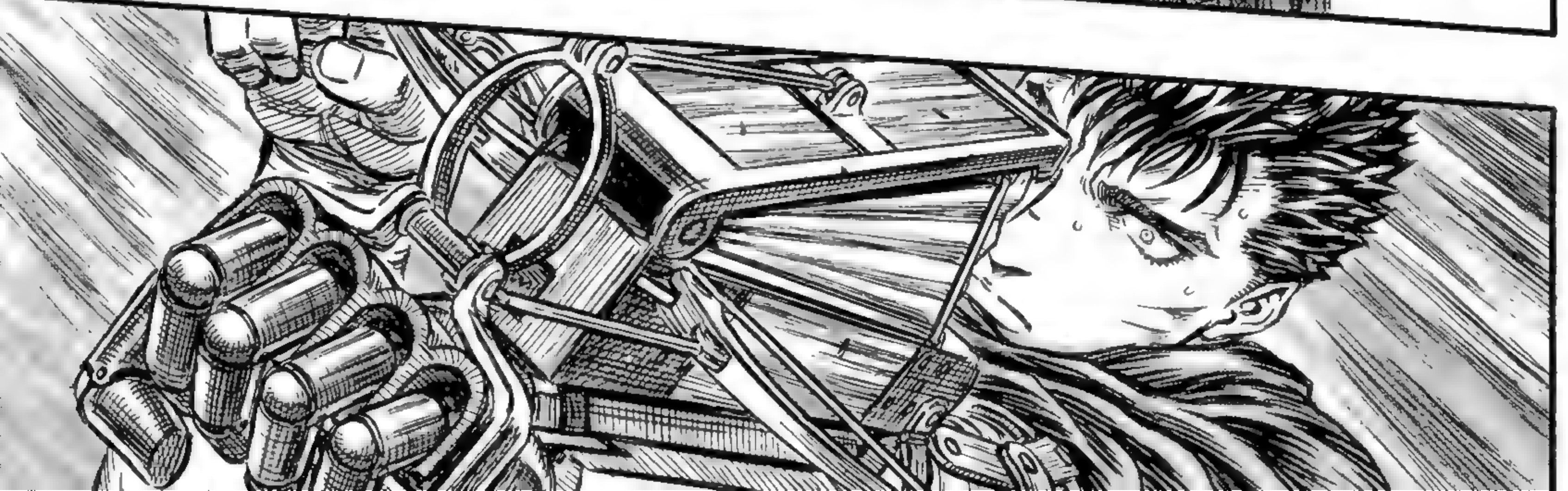
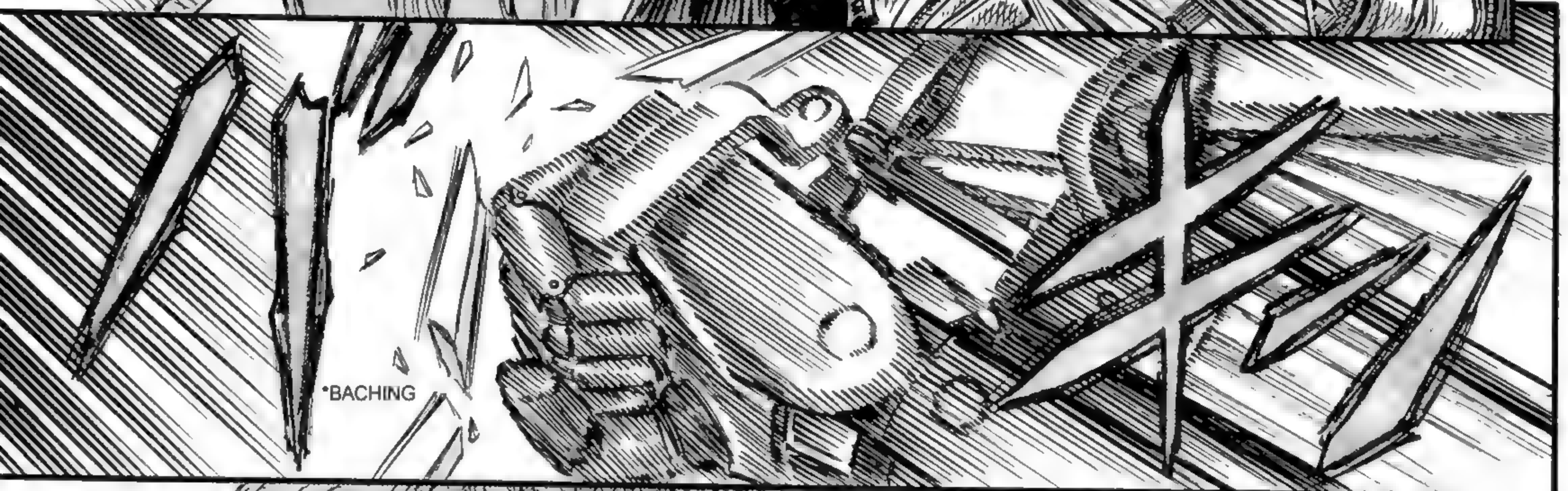
A BLADE,
BARE-
HANDED...?!

DON'T BE
ABSURD...



*HALT

ビタッ!









I NEVER
THOUGHT HE
COULD DODGE IT.
AND HE WAS
CLEVER ENOUGH
TO PICK MY
POCKET AND
USE A WEAPON
HE'D ONLY
SEEN ONCE.

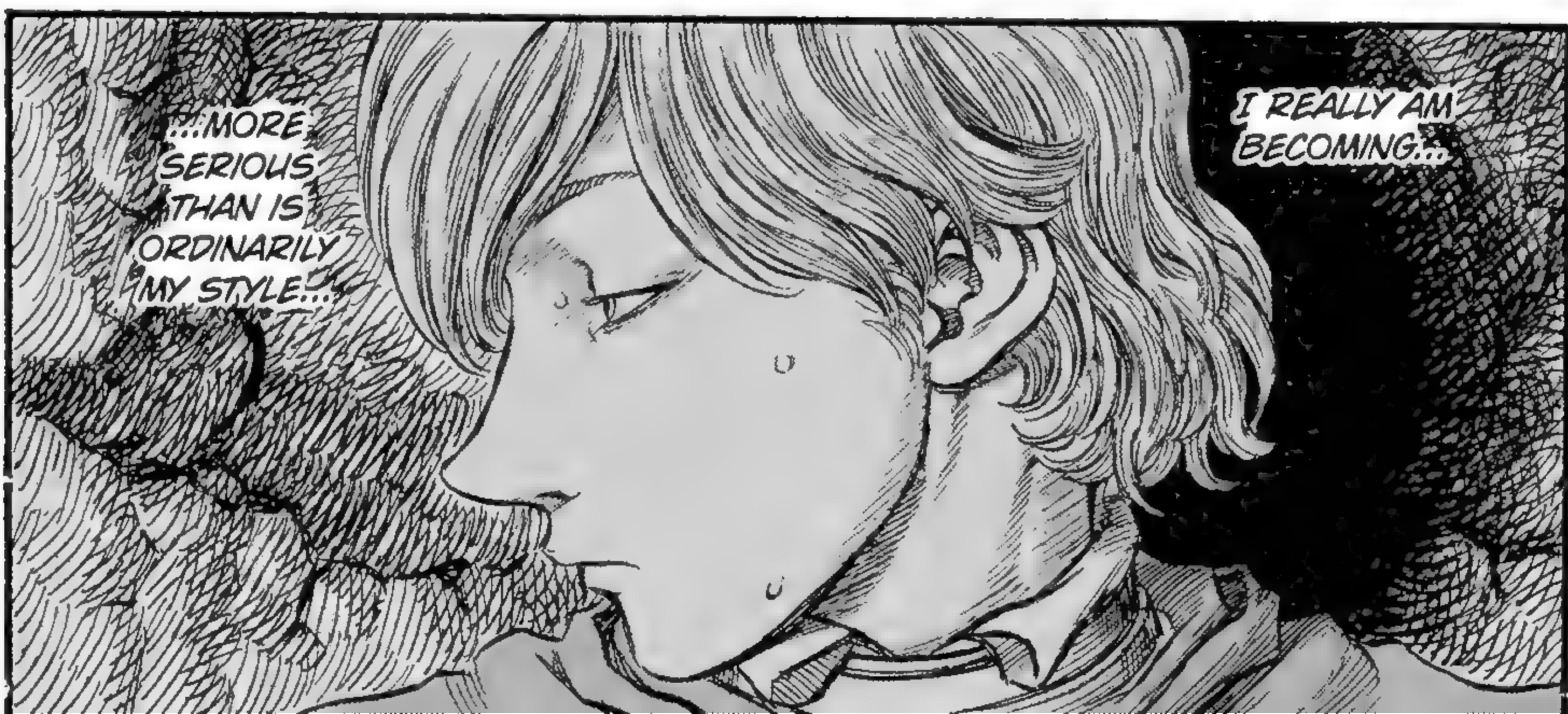


LIKE A
FOX.

BASTARD'S
CUNNING...



I SHOULD
REFRAIN
FROM
GETTING IN
OVER MY
HEAD.



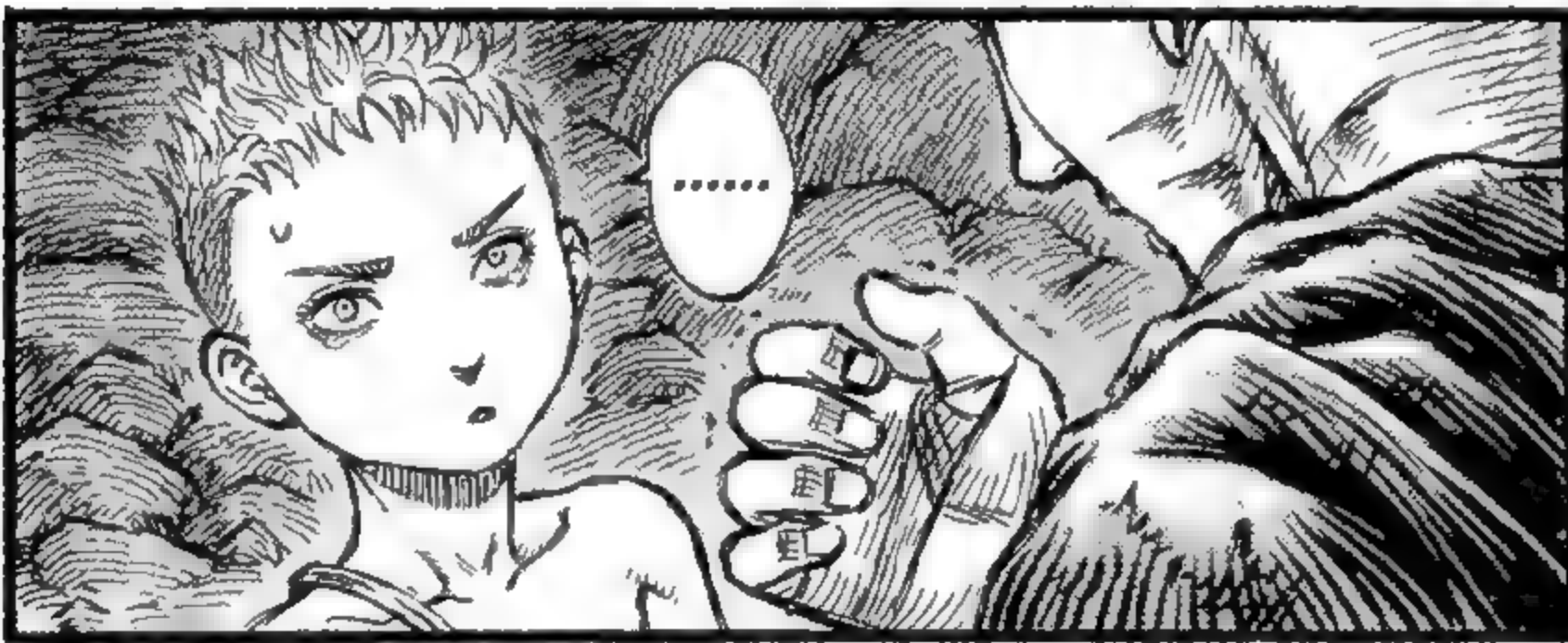
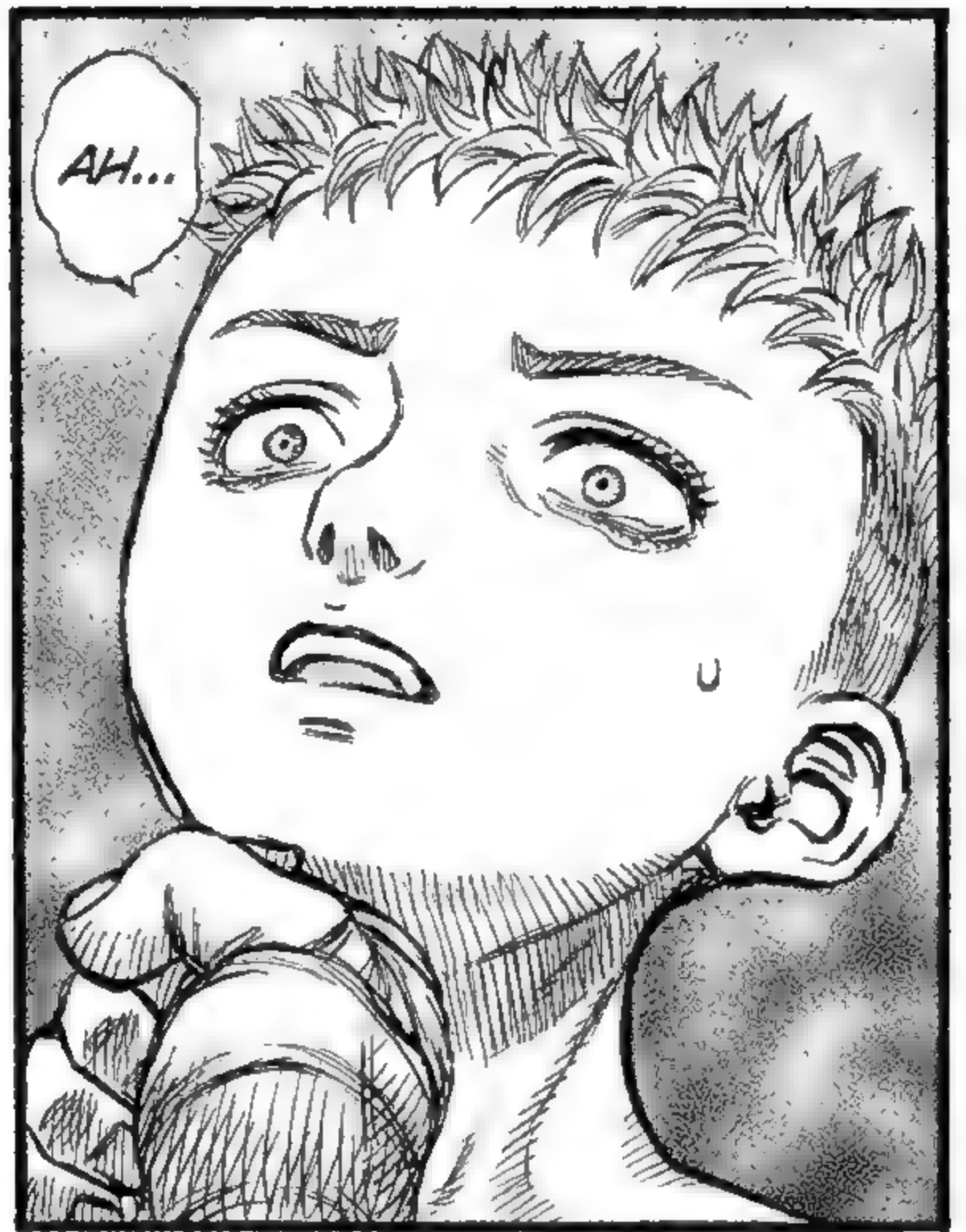
...MORE
SERIOUS
THAN IS
ORDINARILY
MY STYLE...

I REALLY AM
BECOMING...



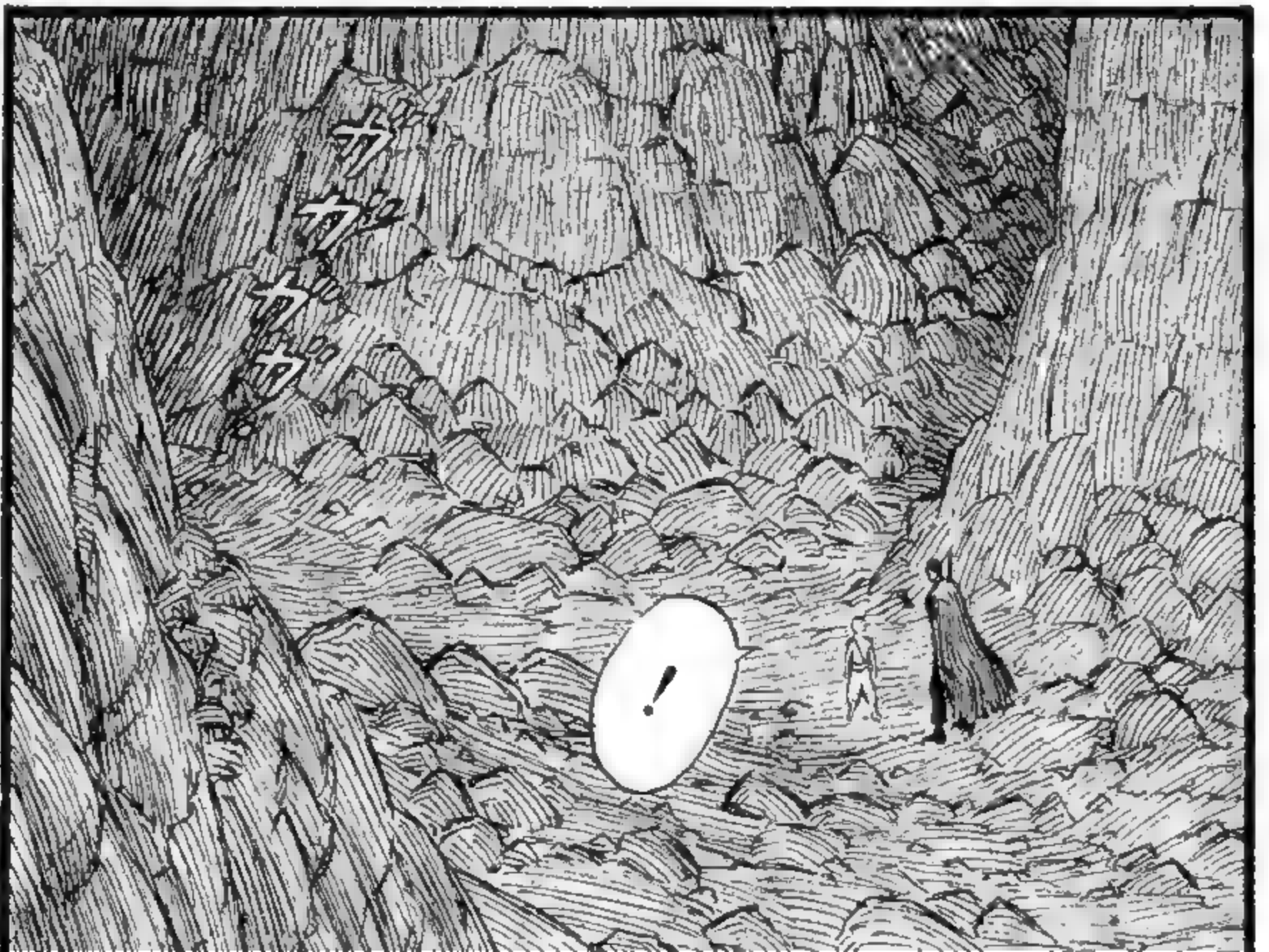
*FX: WHRRRLLL





*FX: BDADUMP BDADUMP

*FX: BDADUMP BDADUMP



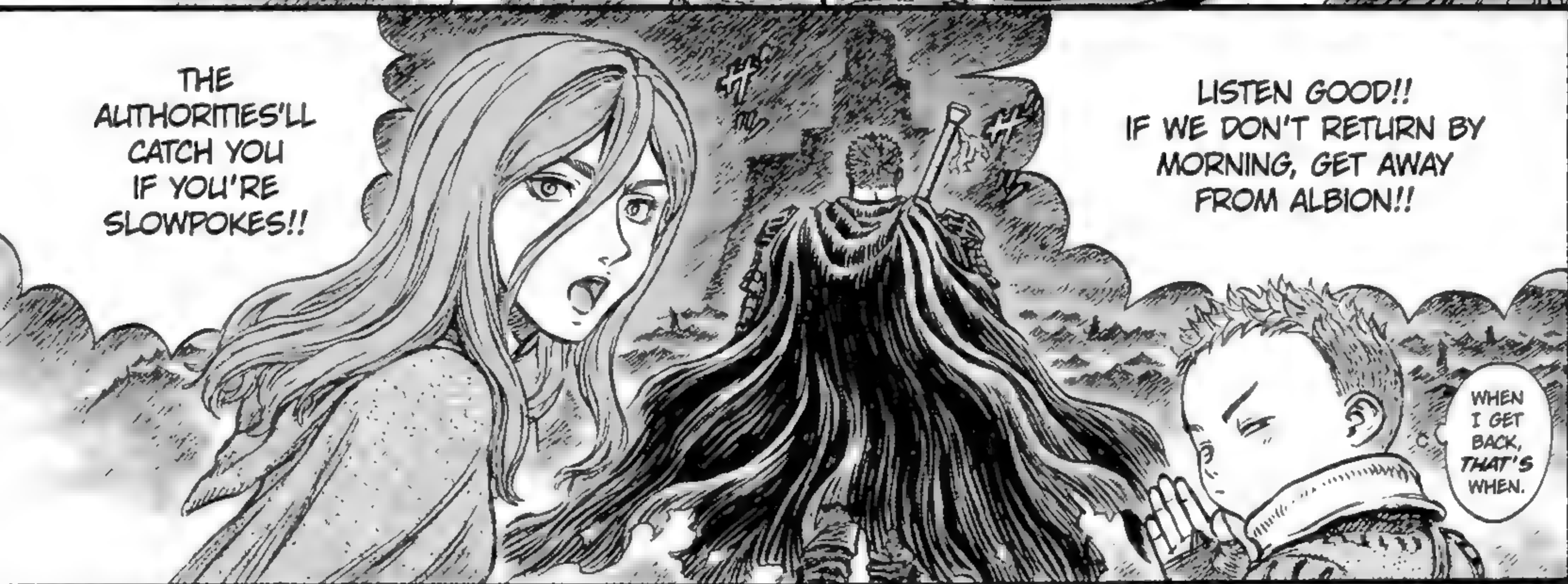


CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
THE CLIFF: END

**CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY
CHAPTER
CAPTIVES**

**断罪篇
生誕祭の章 虜囚**

BERSERK



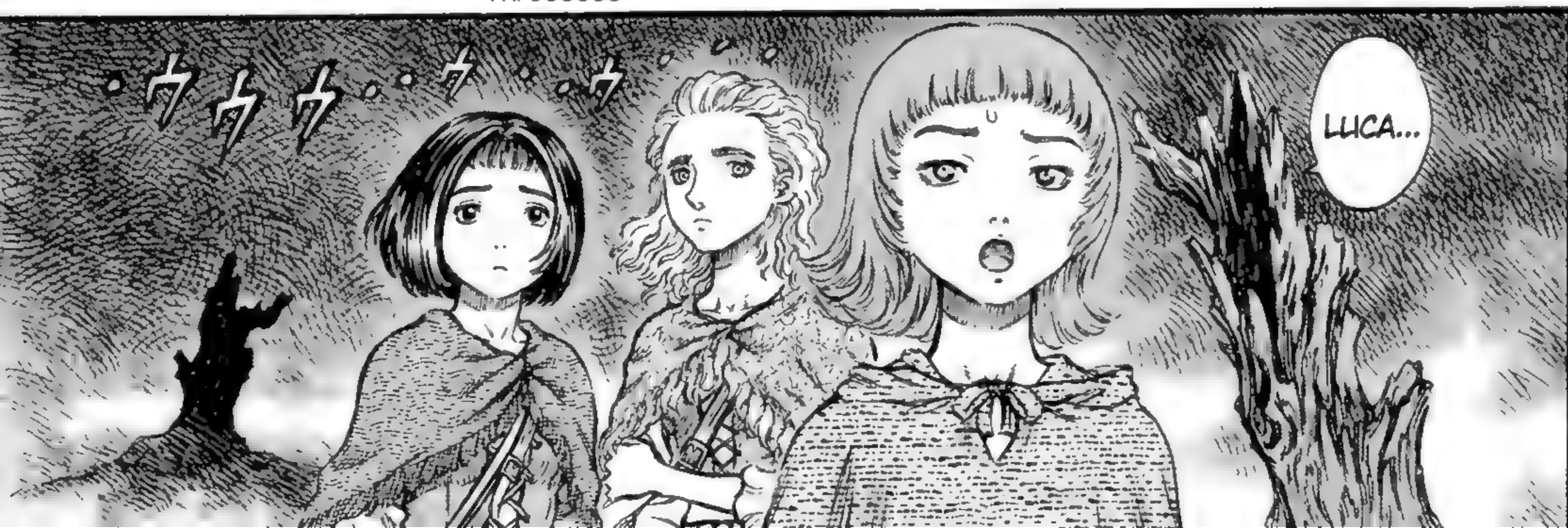
THE
AUTHORITIES'LL
CATCH YOU
IF YOU'RE
SLOWPOKES!!

LISTEN GOOD!!
IF WE DON'T RETURN BY
MORNING, GET AWAY
FROM ALBION!!

WHEN
I GET
BACK,
THAT'S
WHEN.

*FX: ZHA ZHA

*FX: OOOOOO



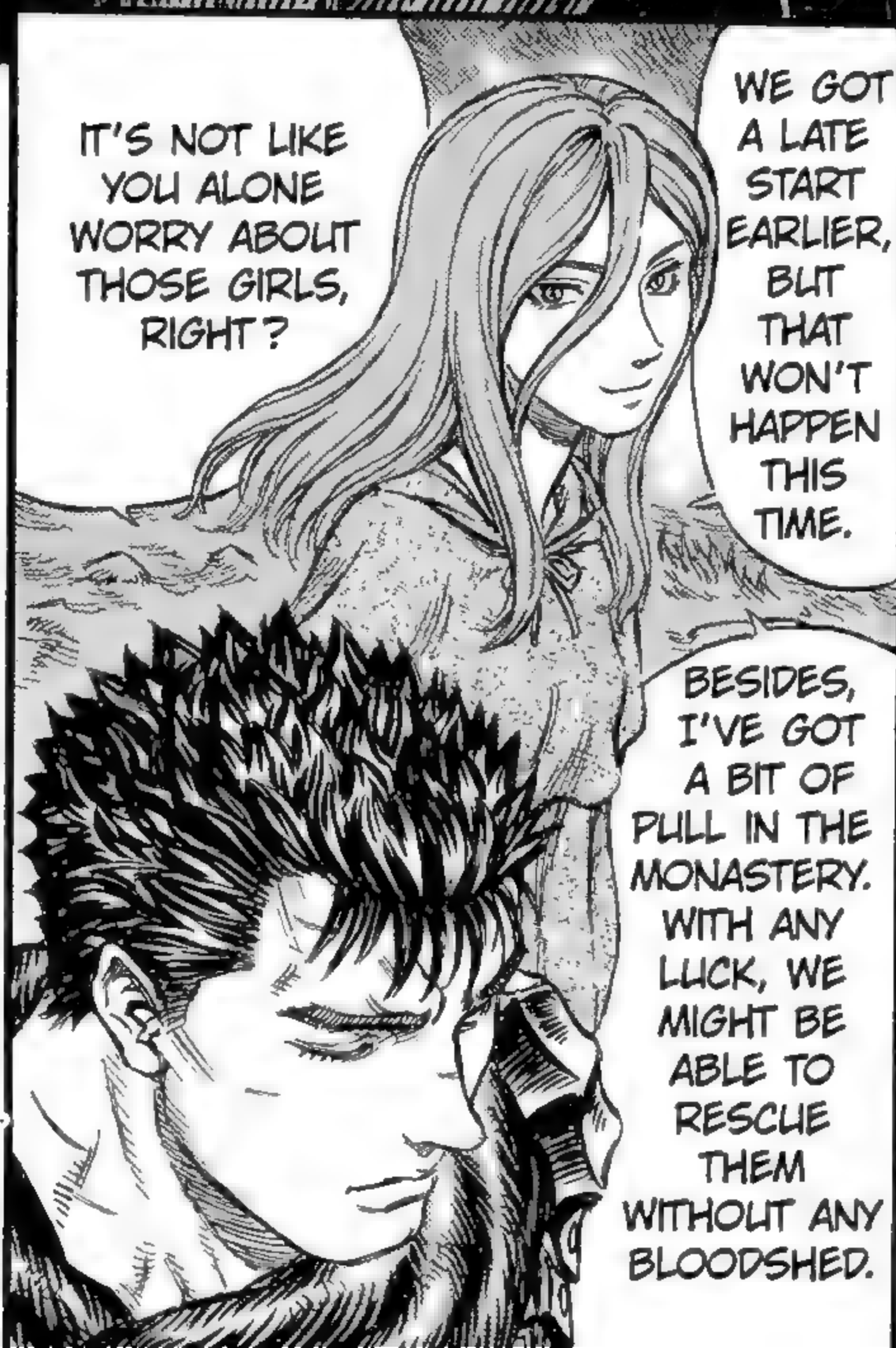
LUCA...



YOU SHOULD GO BACK. I CAN'T GUARANTEE YOUR LIFE, AND YOU'LL BE IN MY WAY.

YEAH, YEAH... THIS AIN'T WOMEN'S WORK, LUCA.

IS THAT SO?



IT'S NOT LIKE YOU ALONE WORRY ABOUT THOSE GIRLS, RIGHT?

WE GOT A LATE START EARLIER, BUT THAT WON'T HAPPEN THIS TIME.

BESIDES, I'VE GOT A BIT OF PULL IN THE MONASTERY. WITH ANY LUCK, WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO RESCUE THEM WITHOUT ANY BLOODSHED.



I'M GOIN' 'CAUSE I WANT TO. LAY OFF!

SAME GOES FOR YOU.

*FX: GCHAK GCHAK
*FX: HEHEHEH



I'LL MAKE UP FOR THAT BLUNDER.

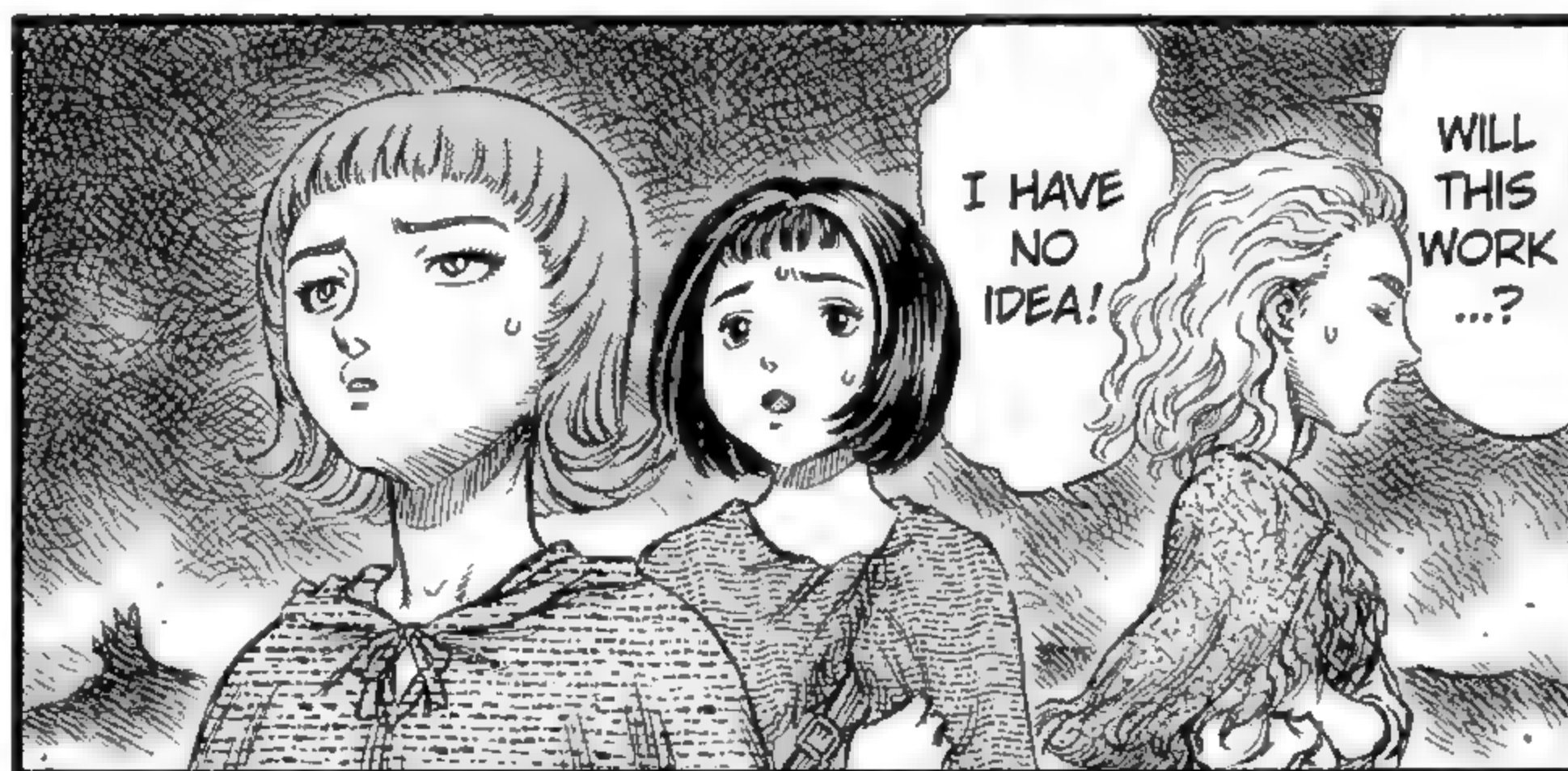
I STILL AIN'T GIVEN UP ON YOU OWIN' ME A GIANT FAVOR.



DO
WHAT YOU
WANT...

PLEASE,
LET THEM
ALL COME
BACK
SAFELY.

UMMM...



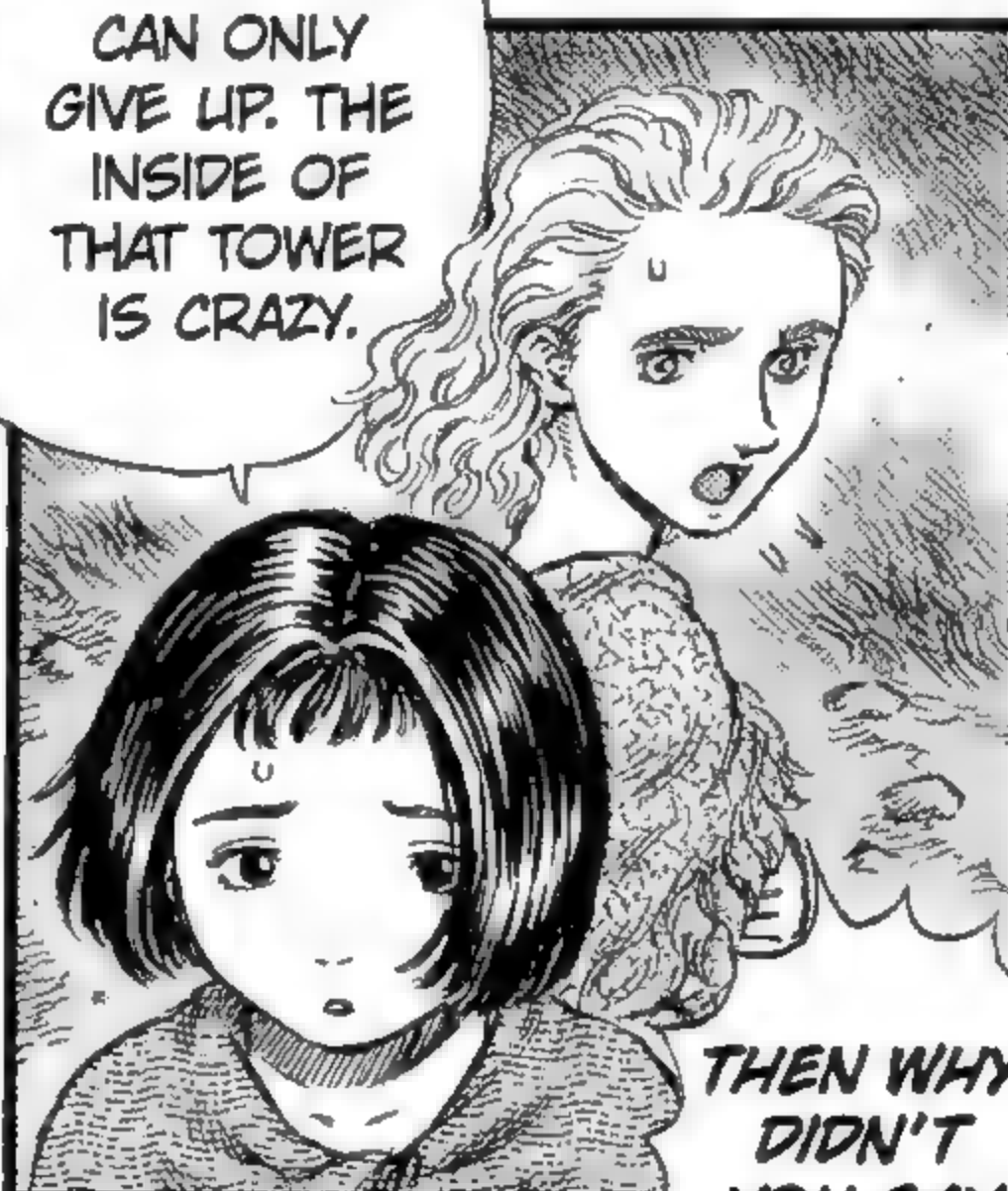
I HAVE
NO
IDEA!

WILL
THIS
WORK
...?



SO
HONEST
IT'S
STUPID!

THIS IS
BECAUSE
LUCA IS SO
STUBBORN...



I THINK WE
CAN ONLY
GIVE UP. THE
INSIDE OF
THAT TOWER
IS CRAZY.

THEN WHY
DIDN'T
YOU SAY
SO?!



I DON'T
KNOW,
STUPID!!

IF LUCA AND
THEM DON'T
COME BACK,
WHAT SHOULD
WE DO?

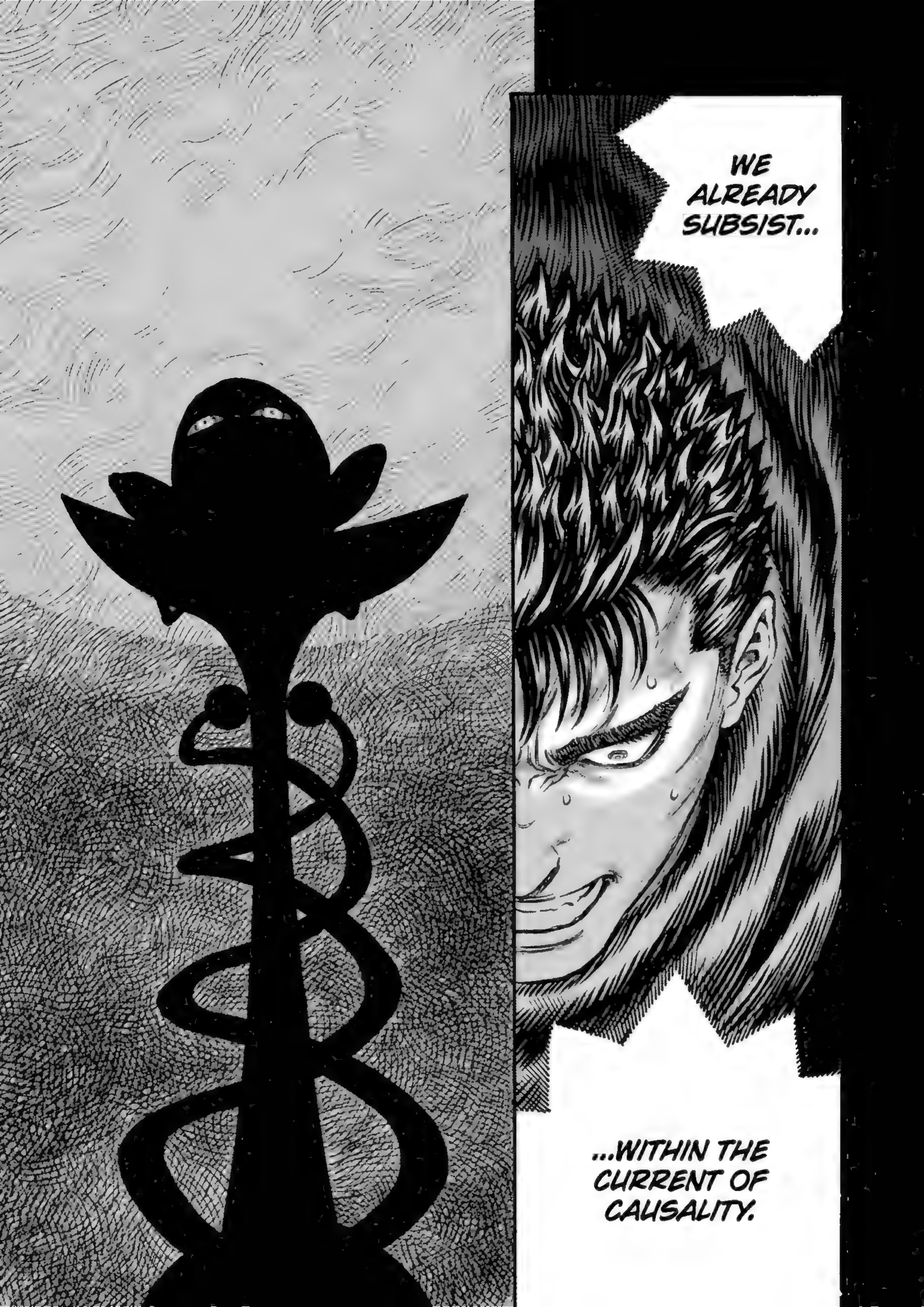


UNFORTU-
NATELY...

...THERE'S
NO WAY FOR
MAN TO
CHANGE THE
COURSE
OF THIS
FESTIVAL.

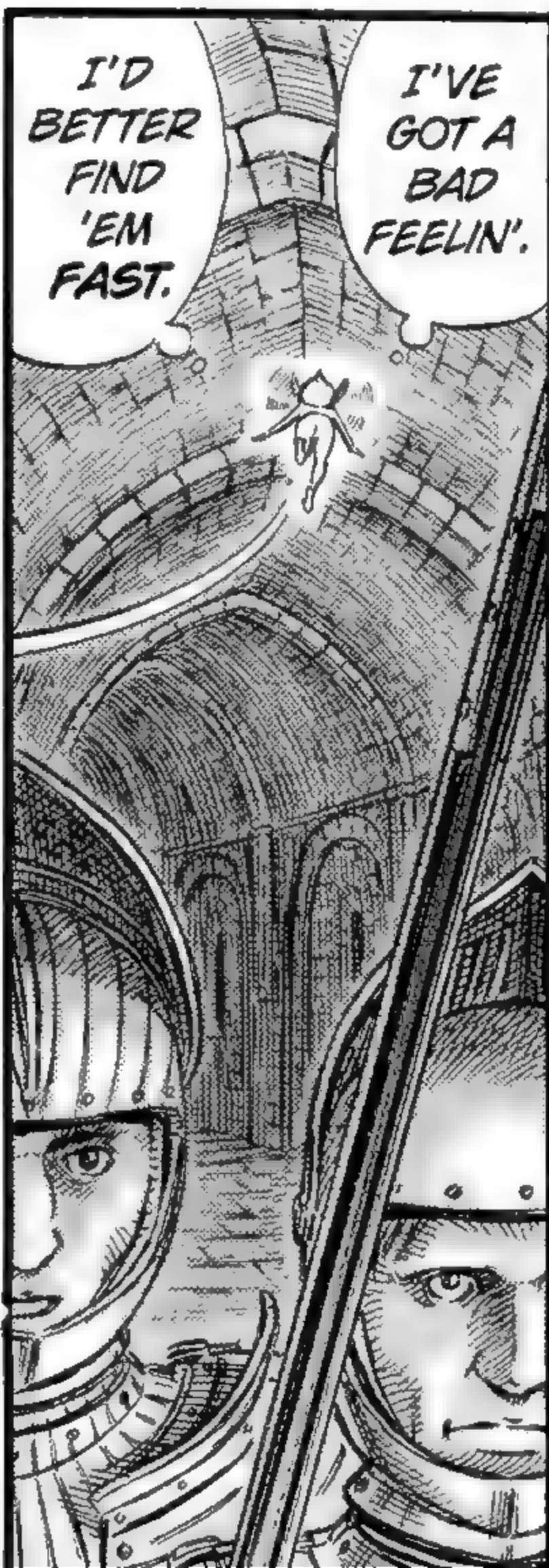
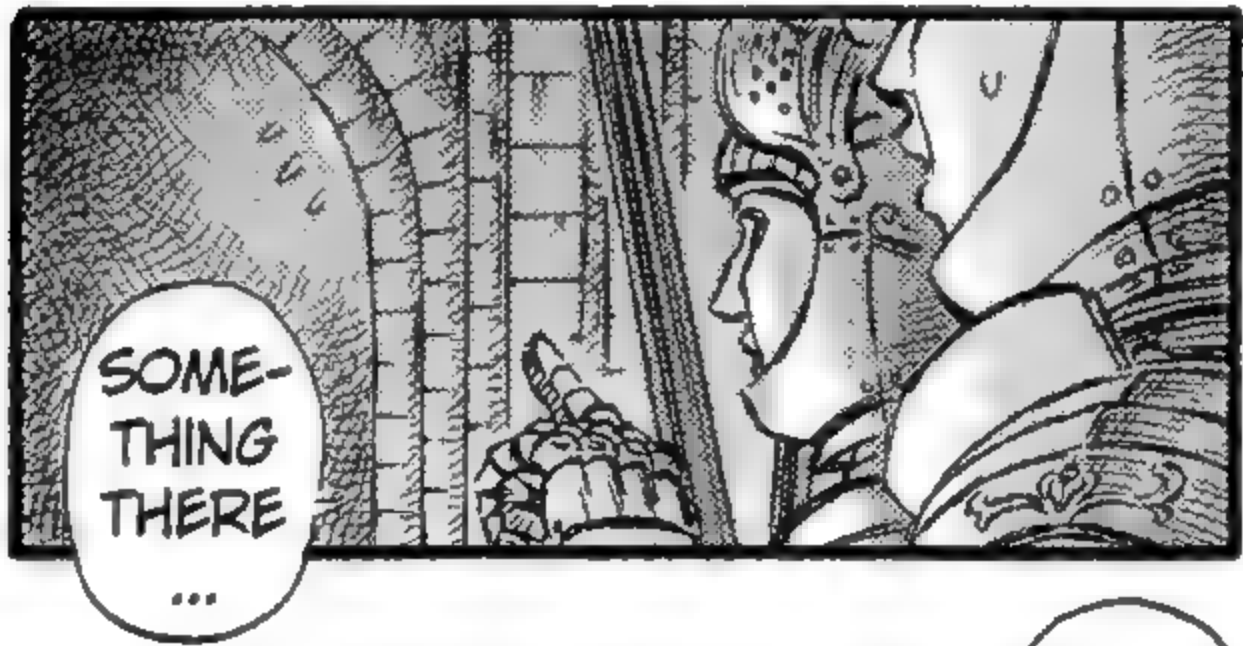
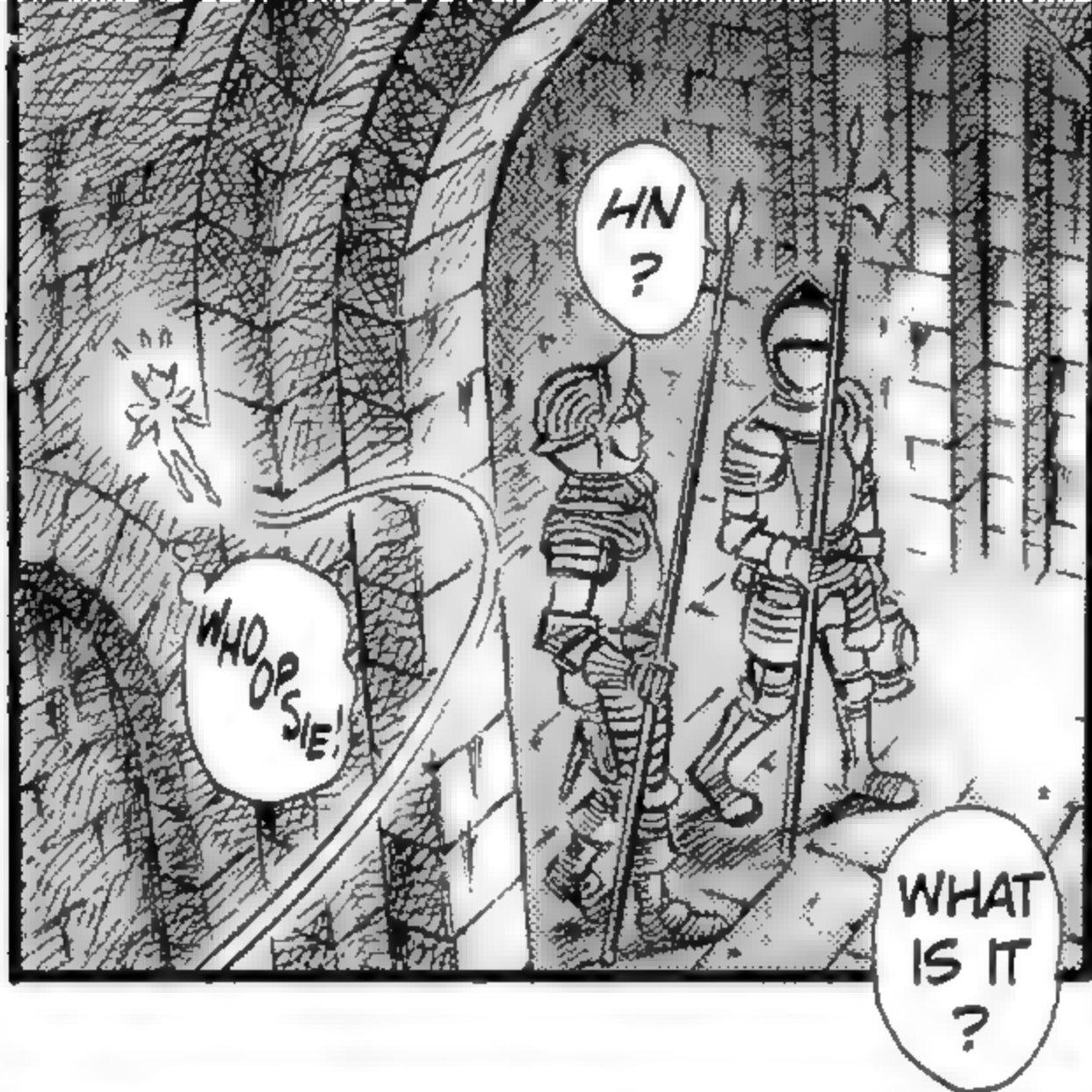


LIAMMM...



**WE
ALREADY
SUBSIST...**

**...WITHIN THE
CURRENT OF
CAUSALITY.**



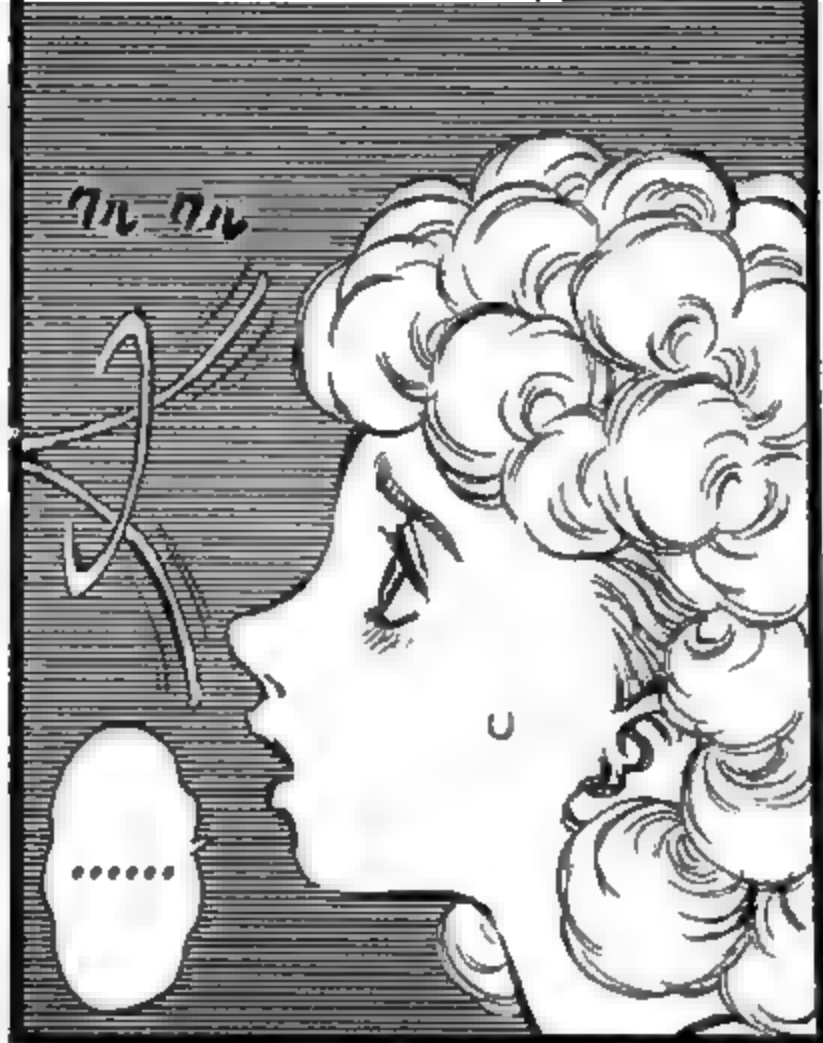
A DEN OF
THOSE APOSTLE
MONSTERS?
AND THAT'S
NOT ALL...

STILL,
THOUGH...
WHAT'S THIS
STIFLIN'
FEELIN'...?

THERE ARE
PLENTY MORE
MUDDLED
THINGS...







*FX: TWRL



AREN'T YOU A
WITCH, ELAINE?
CAN'T YOU USE
YOUR MAGIC
TO GET US OUT
OF HERE?



*FX: FWIT FWIT

YOU'LL
BE BURNED
AT THE
STAKE....!!

COME ON,
LISTEN!! IF WE
DON'T SNEAK
OUT QUICK,
TERRIBLE THINGS
WILL HAPPEN!



*FX: THUD



OHHH,
ENOUGH
ALREADY!!





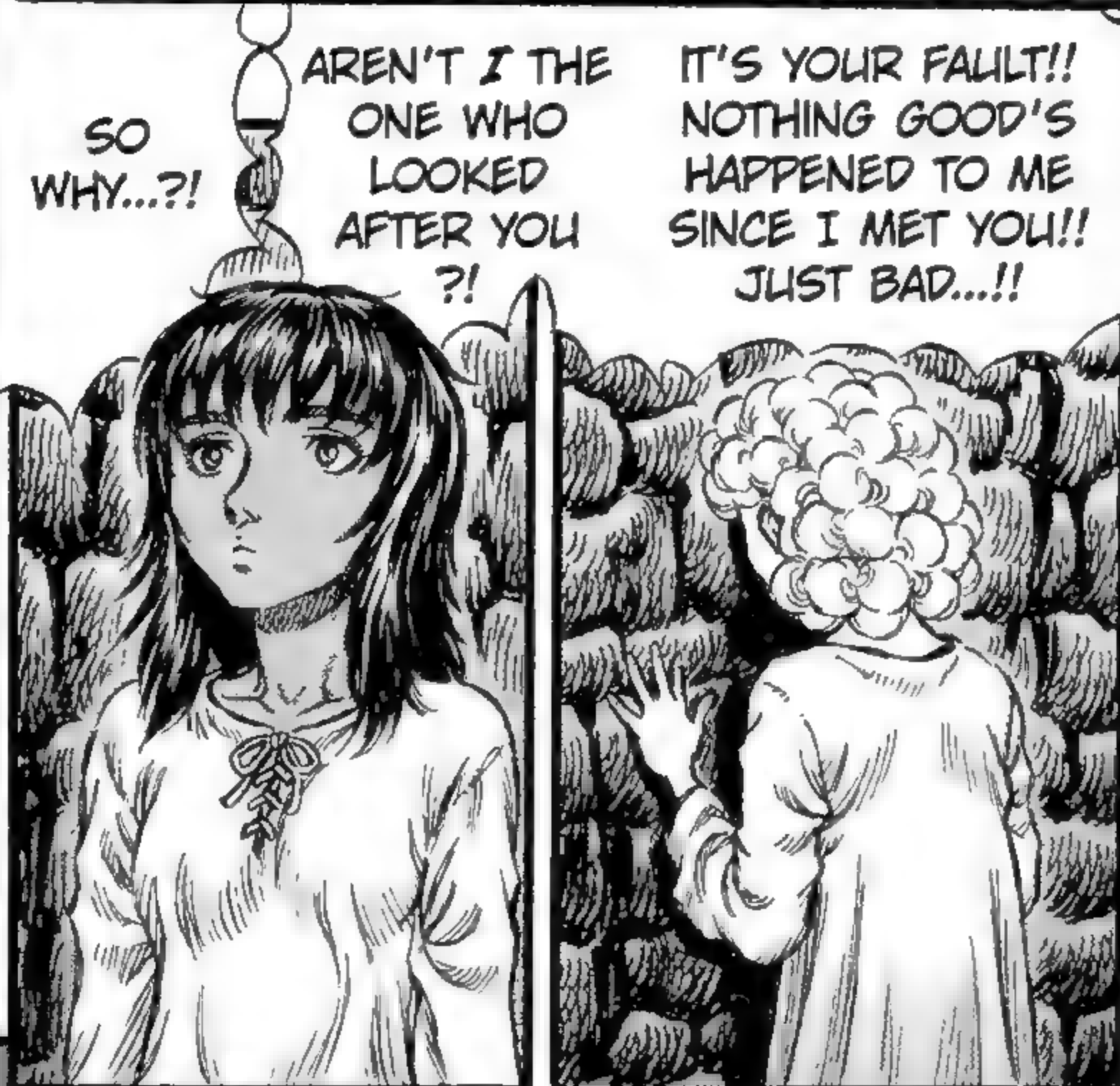
WHY...?

WHY AM
I THE
ONLY
ONE...?



I DON'T
CARE
ANY-
MORE
!!

WH-
WHAT-
EVER!!



SO
WHY...?!

AREN'T I THE
ONE WHO
LOOKED
AFTER YOU
?!

IT'S YOUR FAULT!!
NOTHING GOOD'S
HAPPENED TO ME
SINCE I MET YOU!!
JUST BAD...!!



I'M
SORRY...

THAT
WAS A
LIE...

SORRY
...

ELAINE
...FOR-
GIVE
ME...



OH
H...



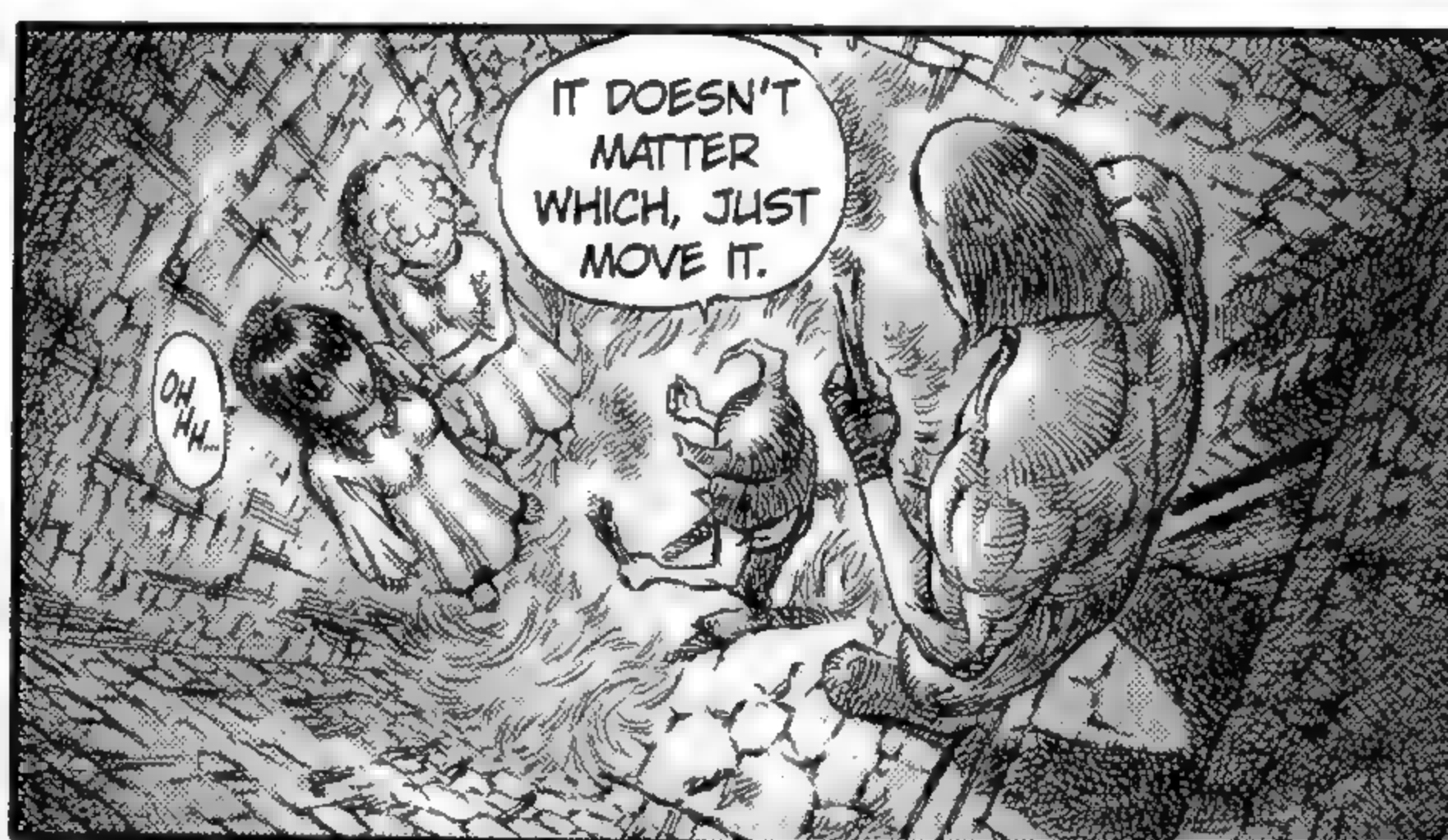
HUG
+ /

Ouu...



*FX: FLINCH

*FX: GCHAK CHAK







*FX BTAM





...I'M
DISGUSTING.



...AND
SAVE
MYSELF.

I
WANTED
TO
ABANDON
ELAINE,
WHO
KNOWS
NOTHING
...

NO...
FOR THAT,
ALL THE
MORE...

WITH THIS
BODY I MIGHT
DIE SOON,
ANYWAY.

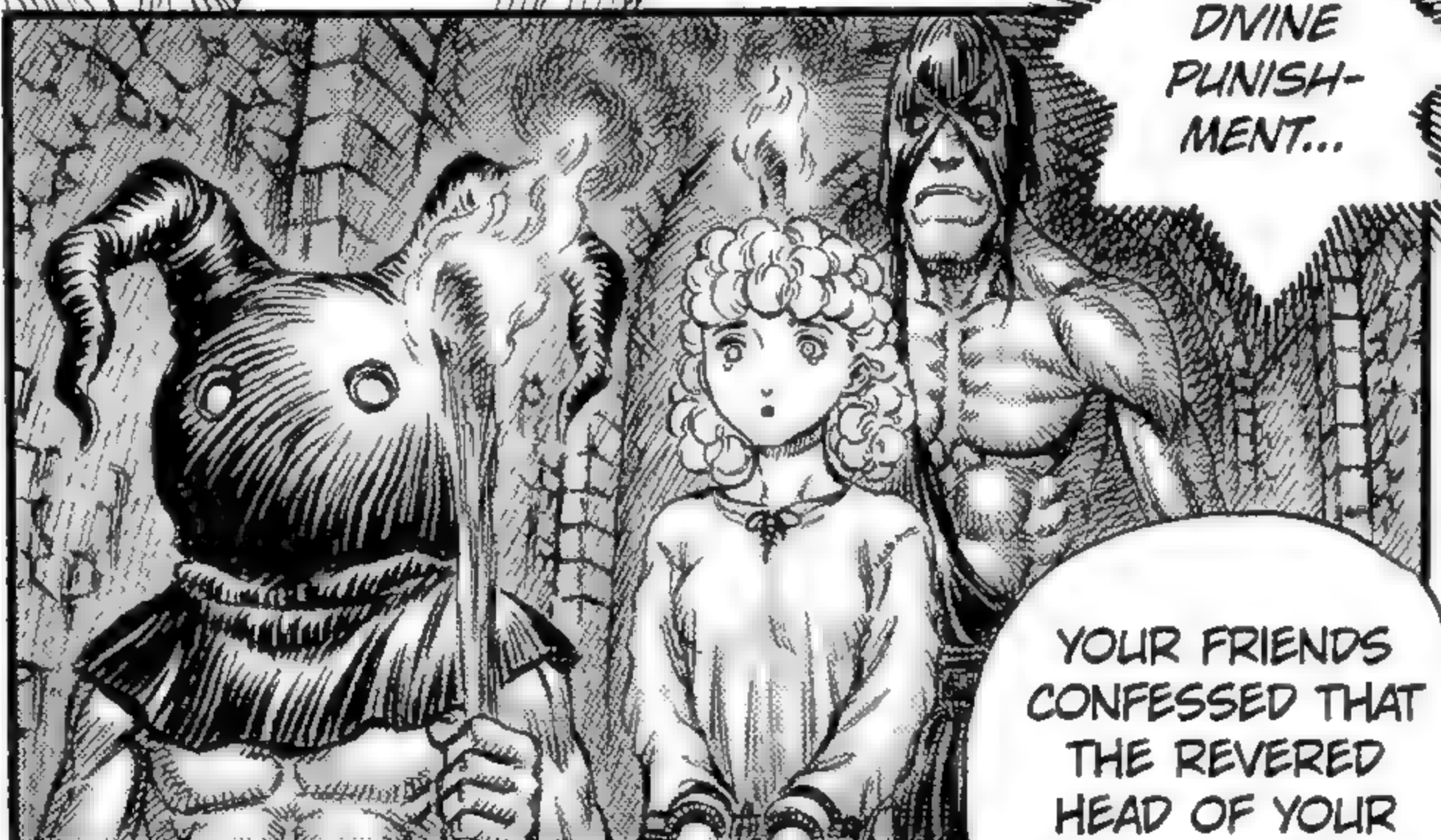


THIS IS
DIVINE
PUNISH-
MENT...



...I MIGHT
SURVIVE
WITHOUT
ANYTHING
TERRIBLE
HAPPENING
...

IF I TELL
THEM
EVERY-
THING
RIGHT
AWAY...



YOUR FRIENDS
CONFESSED THAT
THE REVERED
HEAD OF YOUR
CULT IS A WOMAN.



ONE OF
YOU IS A
WITCH.

WE'VE
ALREADY
LOOKED INTO
THE OTHER
WOMEN.
YOU'RE THE
ONLY TWO
LEFT.

HE
MEANS
ELAINE
!!



EH
...?

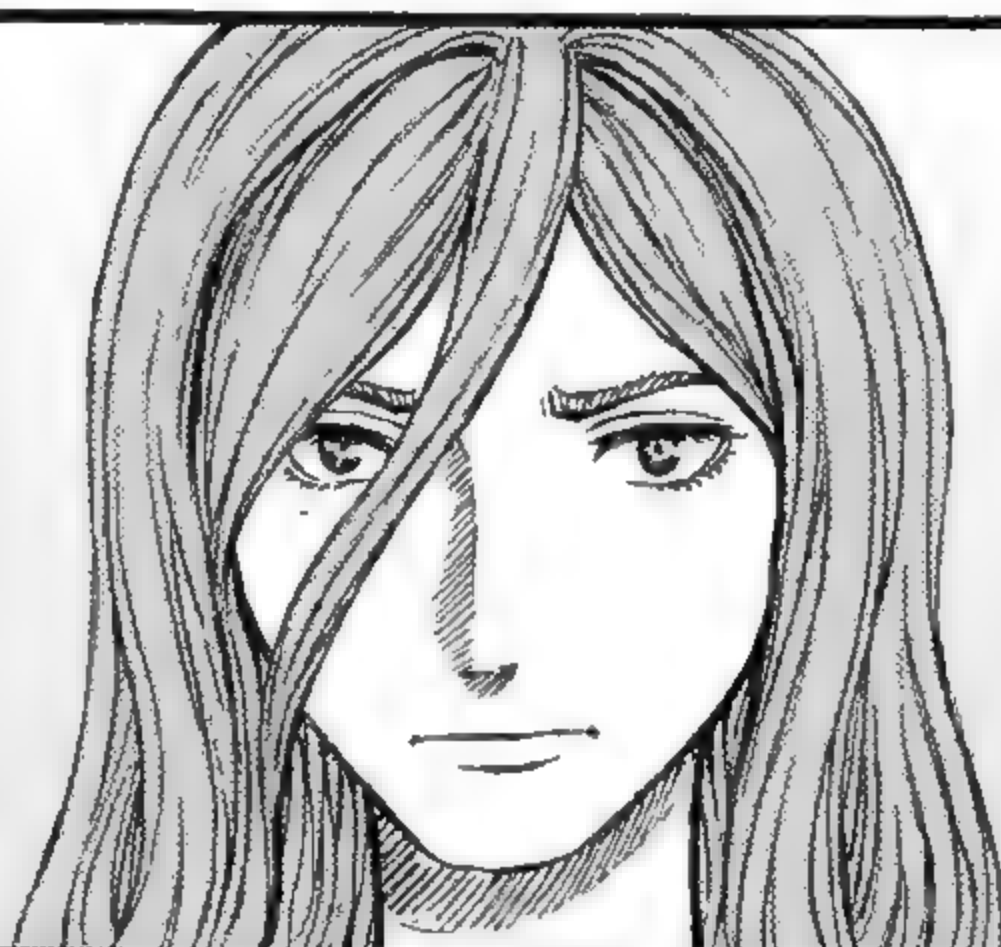
IN THE END...
EVERYONE
THINKS ONLY OF
THEMSELF...



IF I TELL
THEM...



...I'LL END UP
JUST LIKE
THOSE I
LOOKED
DOWN UPON.



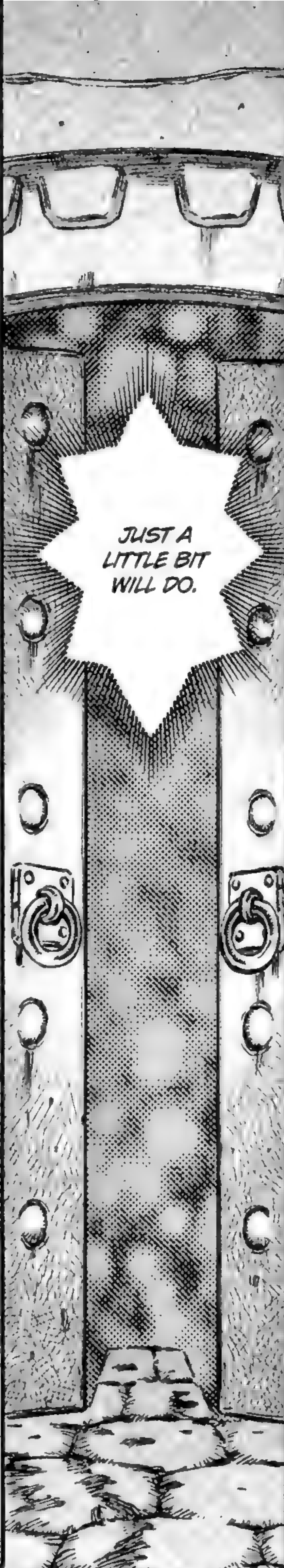
IF I LOSE EVEN
MY NERVE...



LUCA...



**JUST A
GRAIN OF
YOUR
COURAGE...**



**JUST A
LITTLE BIT
WILL DO.**



COURAGE...

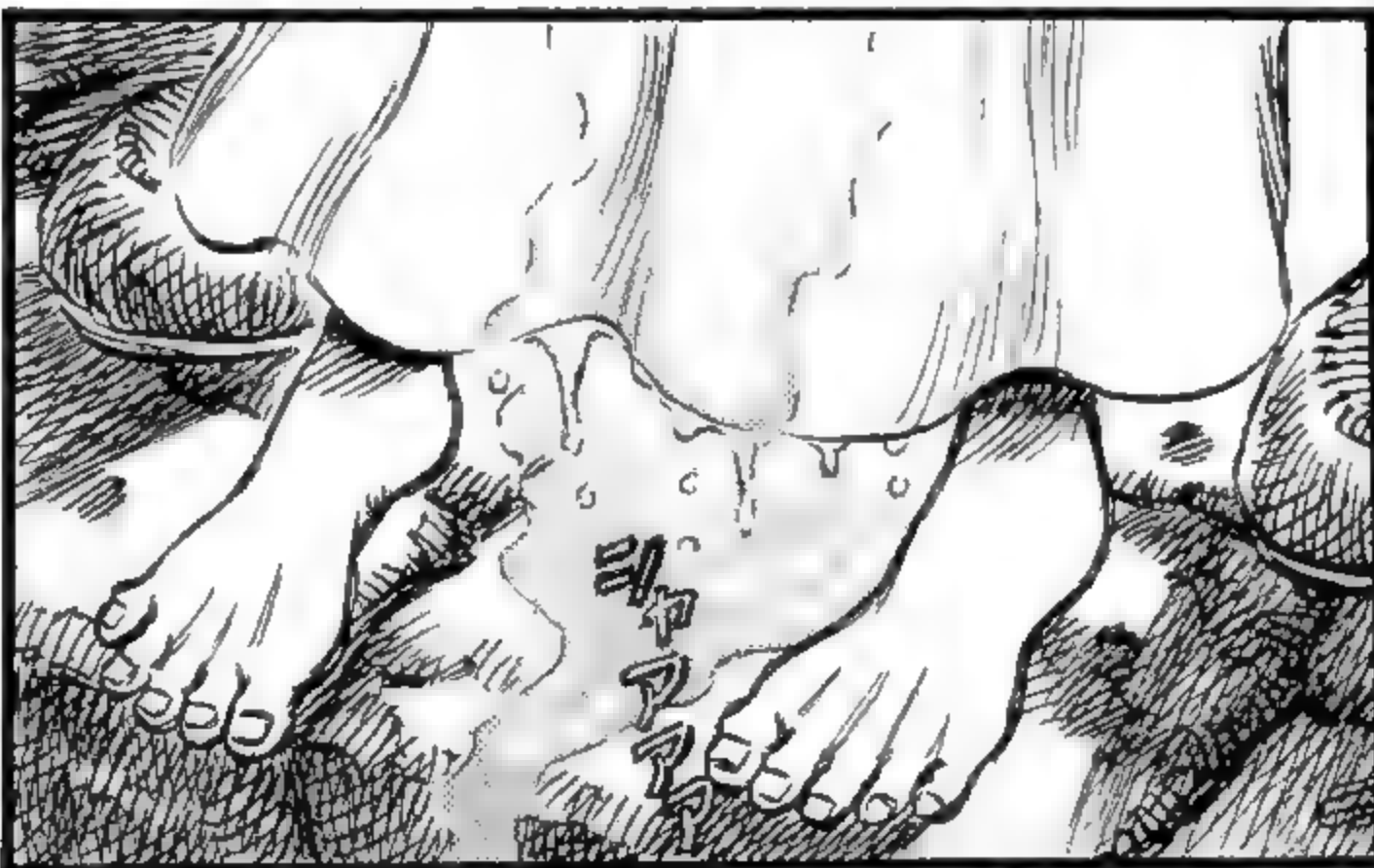




*FX: WHMP



*FX: SWAY



*FX: PSHHH



*FX: AGHHHH

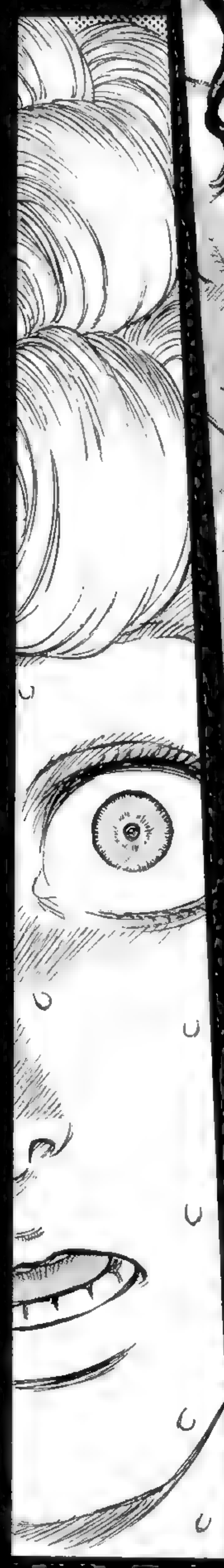
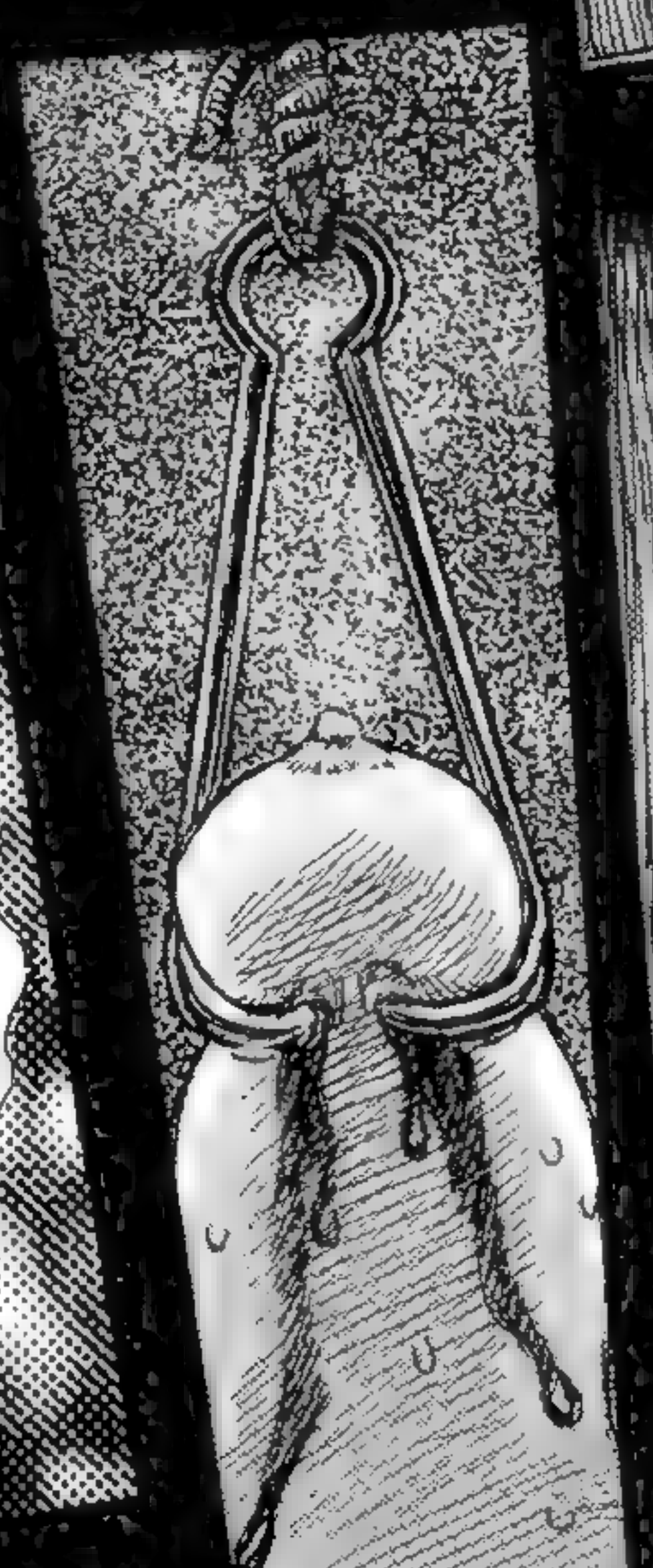
*FX: FLINCH

*FX: GYAHHH





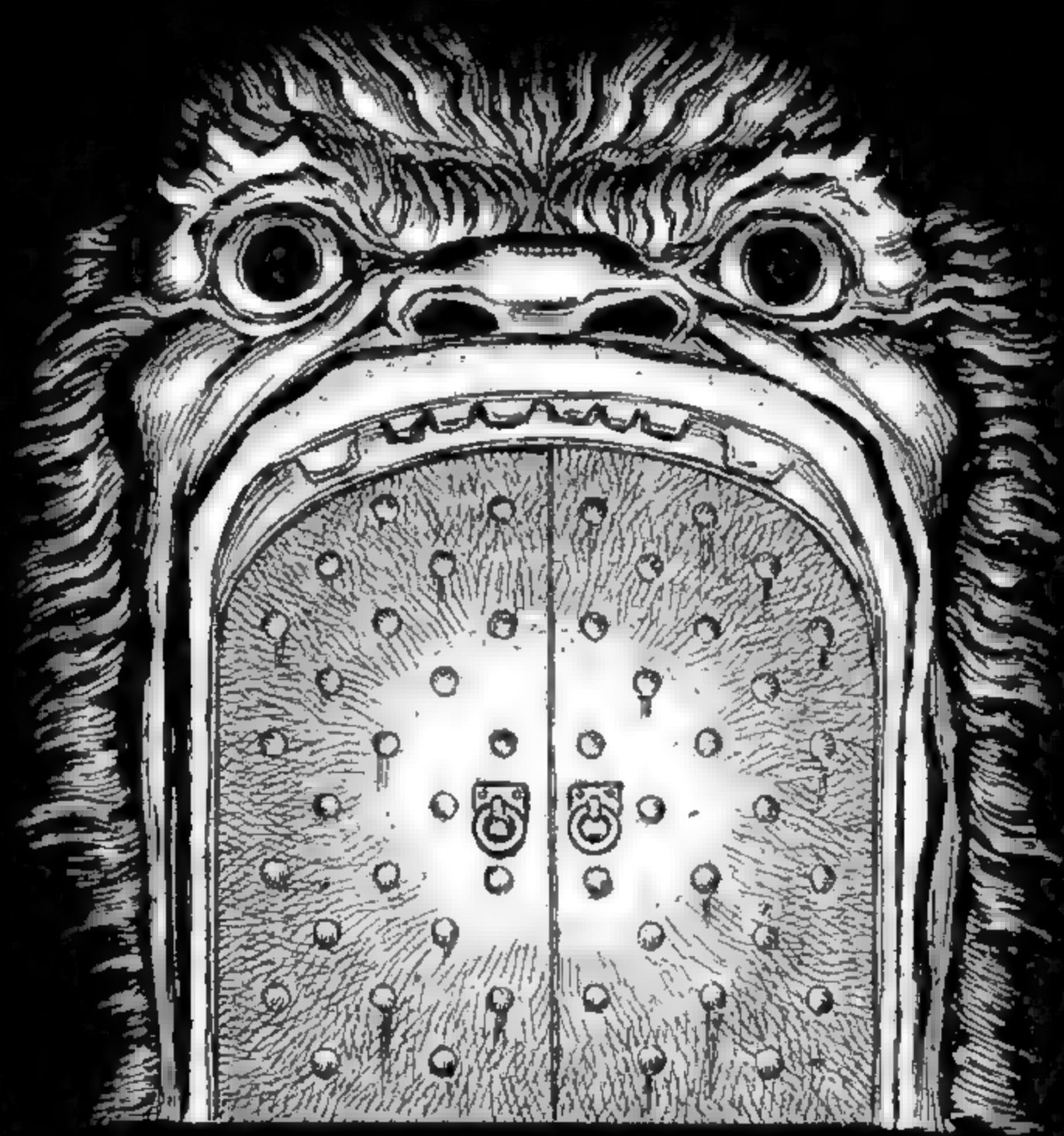
IMPOS-
SIBLE...



IT'S NOT
POSSIBLE
FOR ME.



LUCA...



*BTAM

CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
CAPTIVES: END

**CONVICTION
ARC
BIRTH
CEREMONY
CHAPTER
THE IRON
MAIDEN**

断罪篇

生誕祭の章 鉄の処女

ORDERS
TO RETURN
TO THE
HOLY SEE...?

IT IS
A DIRECT
NOTICE
FROM THE
HOLY SEE.

BUT...

...WHY SO
SUDDENLY,
ABBOT?

THIS ORDER
TO RETURN
WAS NOT
ADDRESSED TO THE
HOLY IRON CHAIN
KNIGHTS, BUT TO
YOU INDIVIDUALLY,
MISS FARNESE.

AH, DO NOT
BE ANXIOUS
ABOUT THAT
POINT.

I TOO AM
HONESTLY
QUITE
RELIEVED.

I BELIEVE
IT IS SAFE TO
SAY THAT THE
HERETICS ARE
SUBJUGATED
FOR NOW.

YOU HAVE
PERFORMED
WELL IN THIS
LENGTHY
DUTY.

INTERROGA-
TION AND
EXECUTION OF
SENTENCES
WILL STILL
REQUIRE
SOME TIME.
WHAT OF THE
INQUISITOR'S
PROTECTION
DURING THAT
PERIOD...?!

REMNANTS
MIGHT
STILL BE
LURKING!
THE PUBLIC
MIND IS
UNSETTLED!



ARE YOU SAYING THAT AS COMMANDER I MUST ABANDON MY OWN FORCES?!

THAT CAN'T BE!!

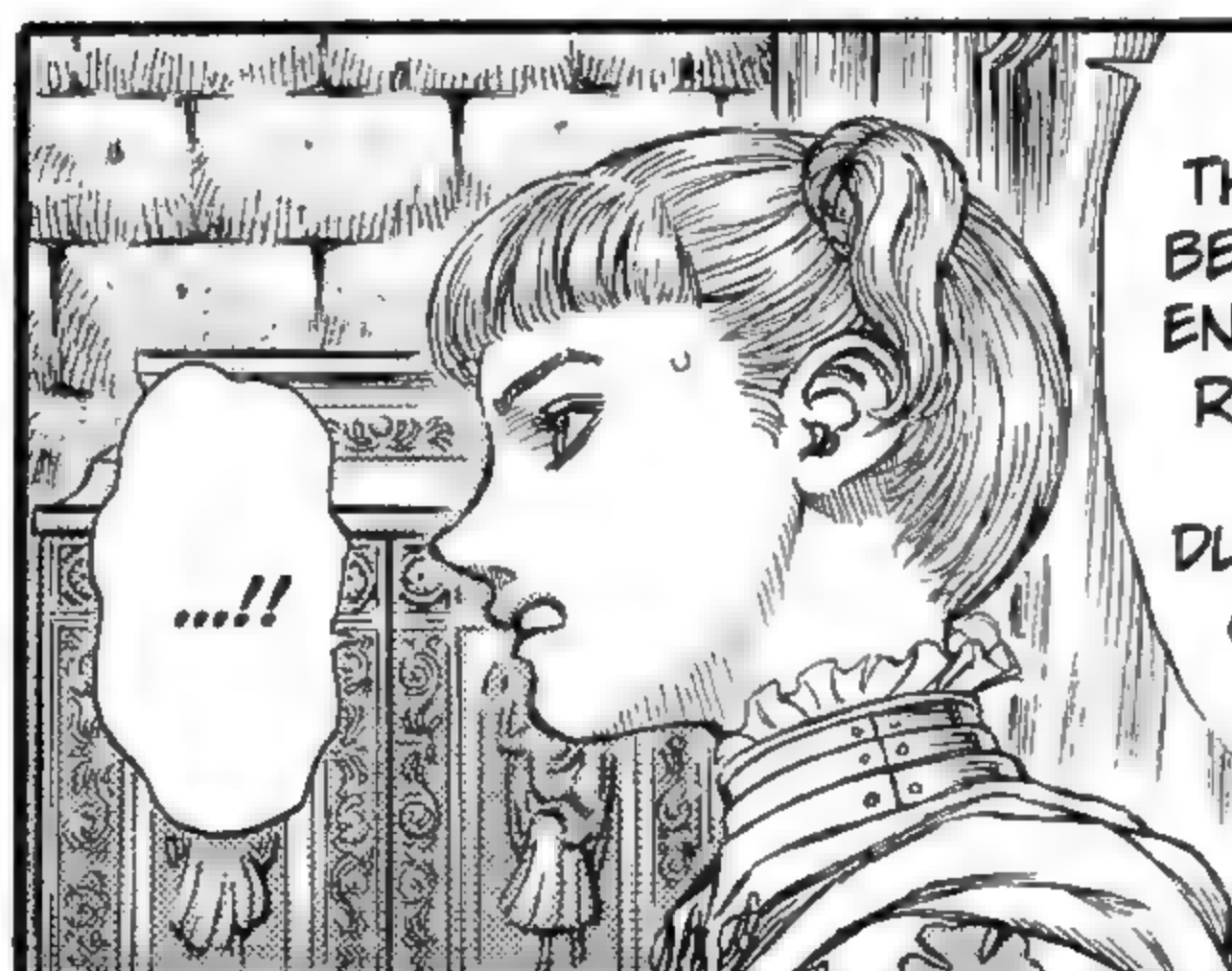
I WILL NOT ASSENT...

I CANNOT COMPLY!!



MISS FARNESE ...

I HAVE HEARD THIS PAPAL EDICT COMES THROUGH THE INFLUENCE OF THE VANDIMION FAMILY... OF YOUR FATHER.



...!!

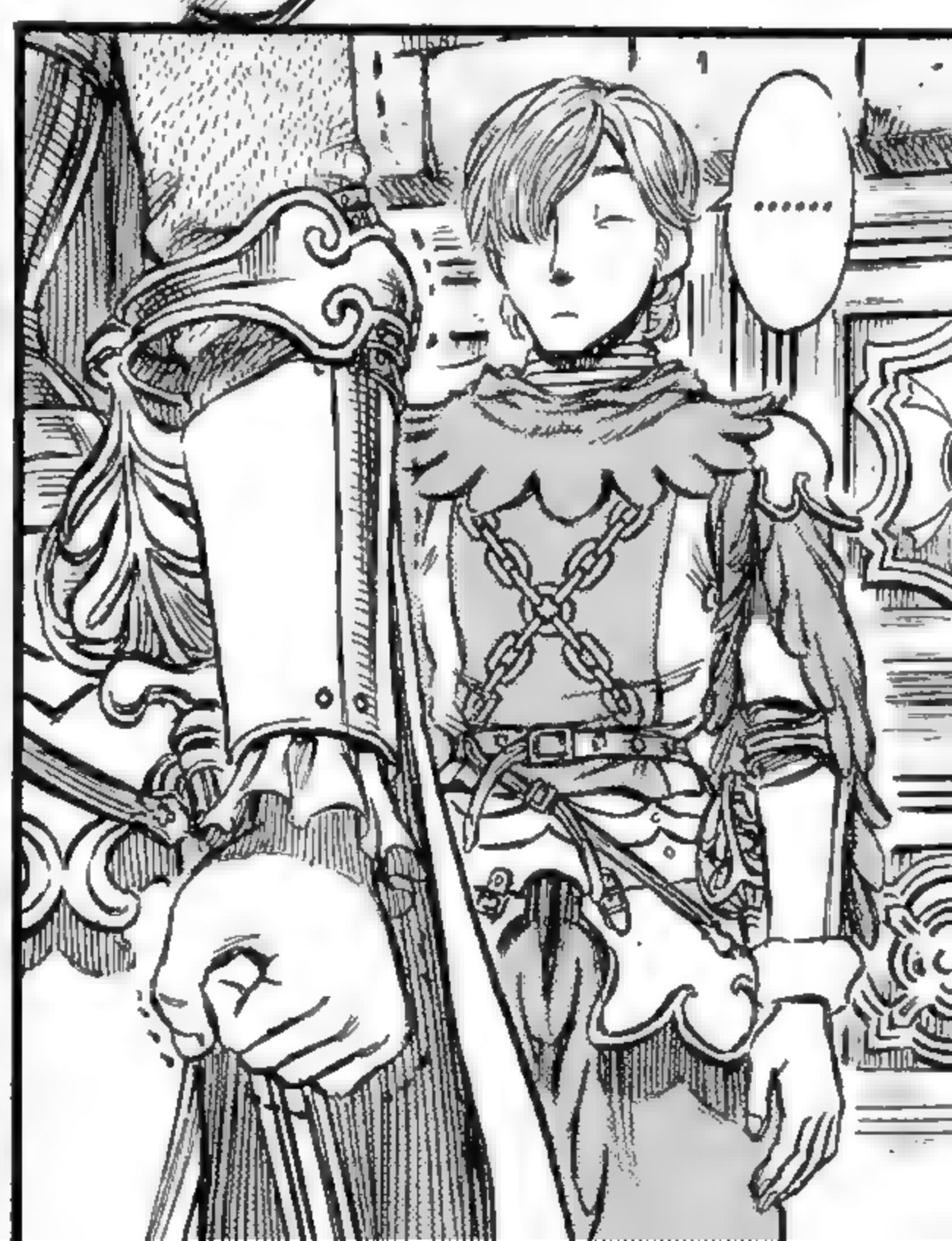
THERE SHOULD BE NO PROBLEM ENTRUSTING THE REMAINDER OF PRACTICAL DUTIES TO VICE-COMMANDER AZAN.



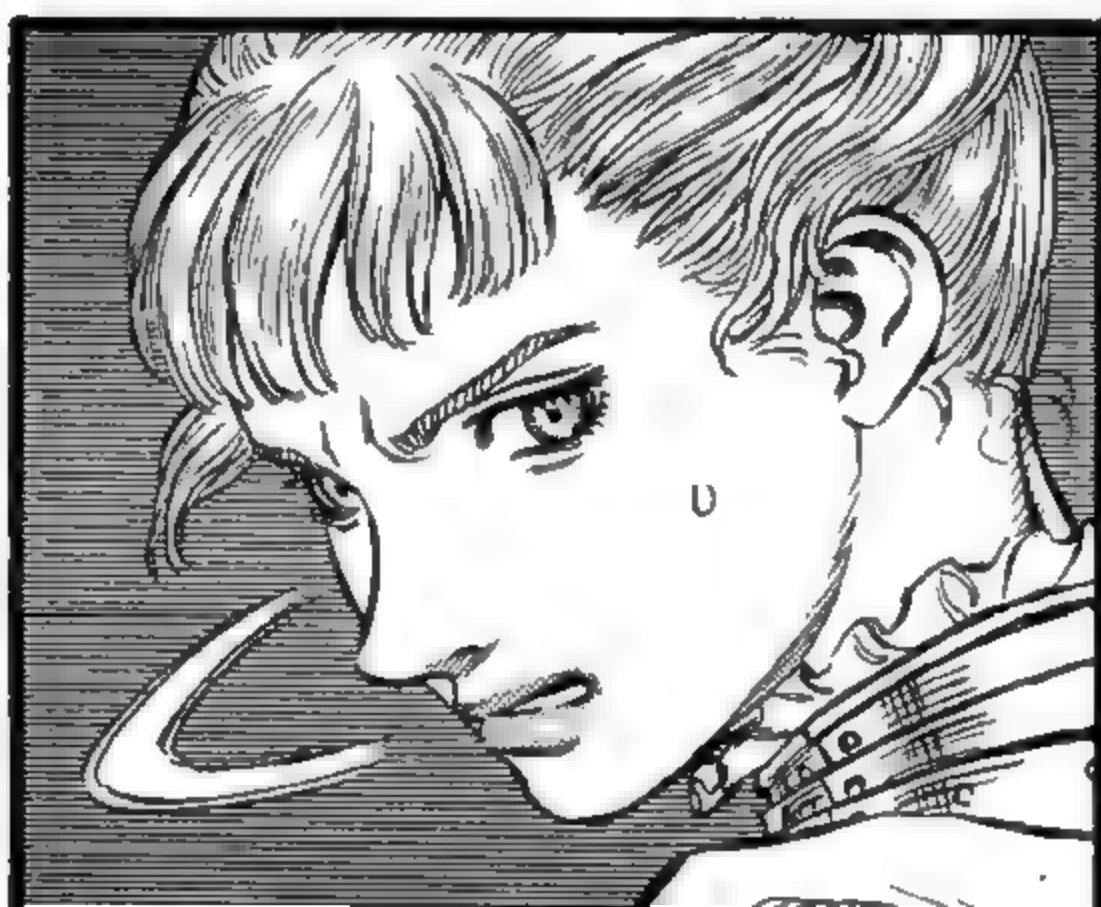
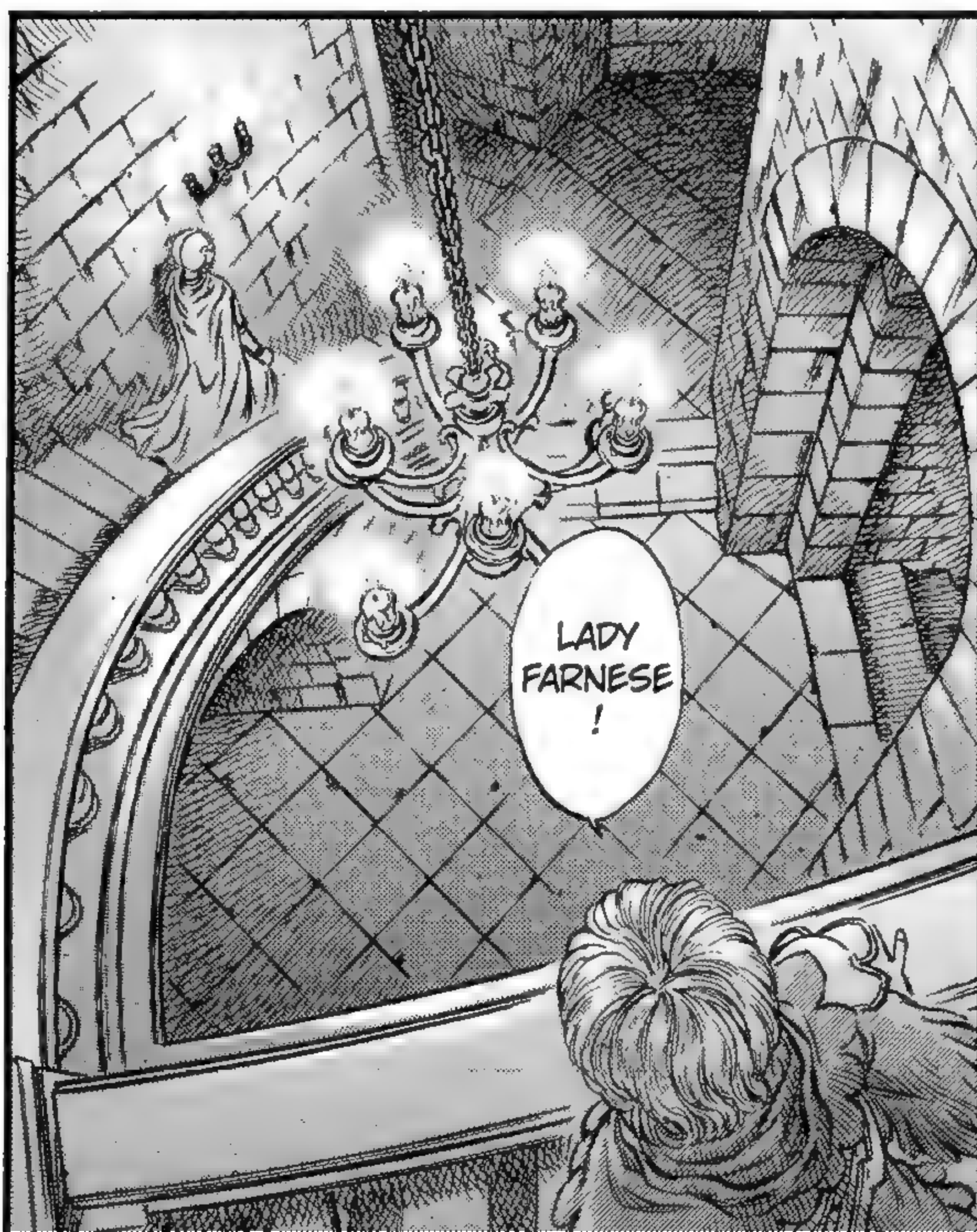
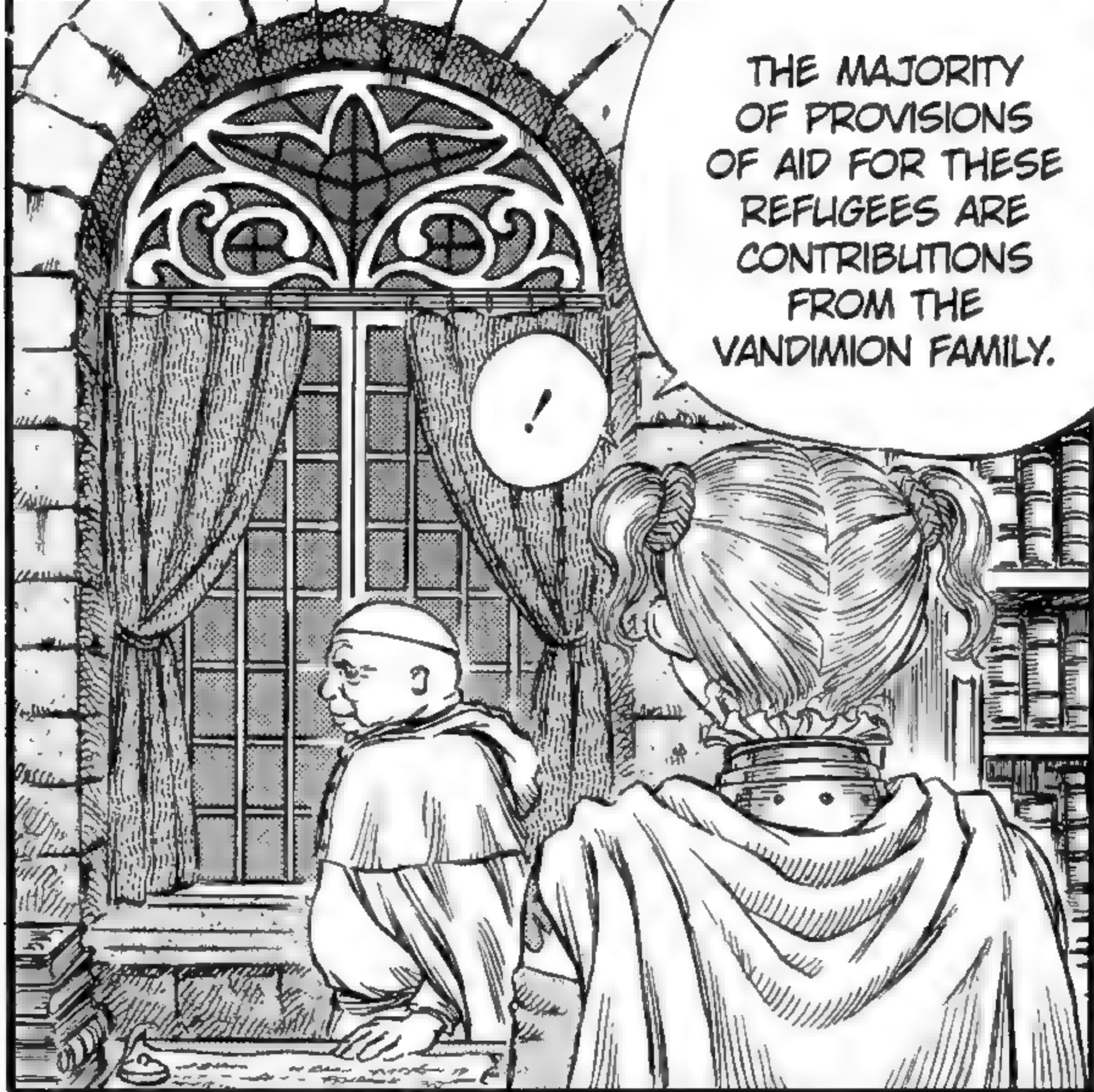
...THE FEELINGS OF YOUR FATHER IN NOT WANTING TO SEE YOU, A WOMAN, DETAINED IN THIS GRUESOME PLACE.

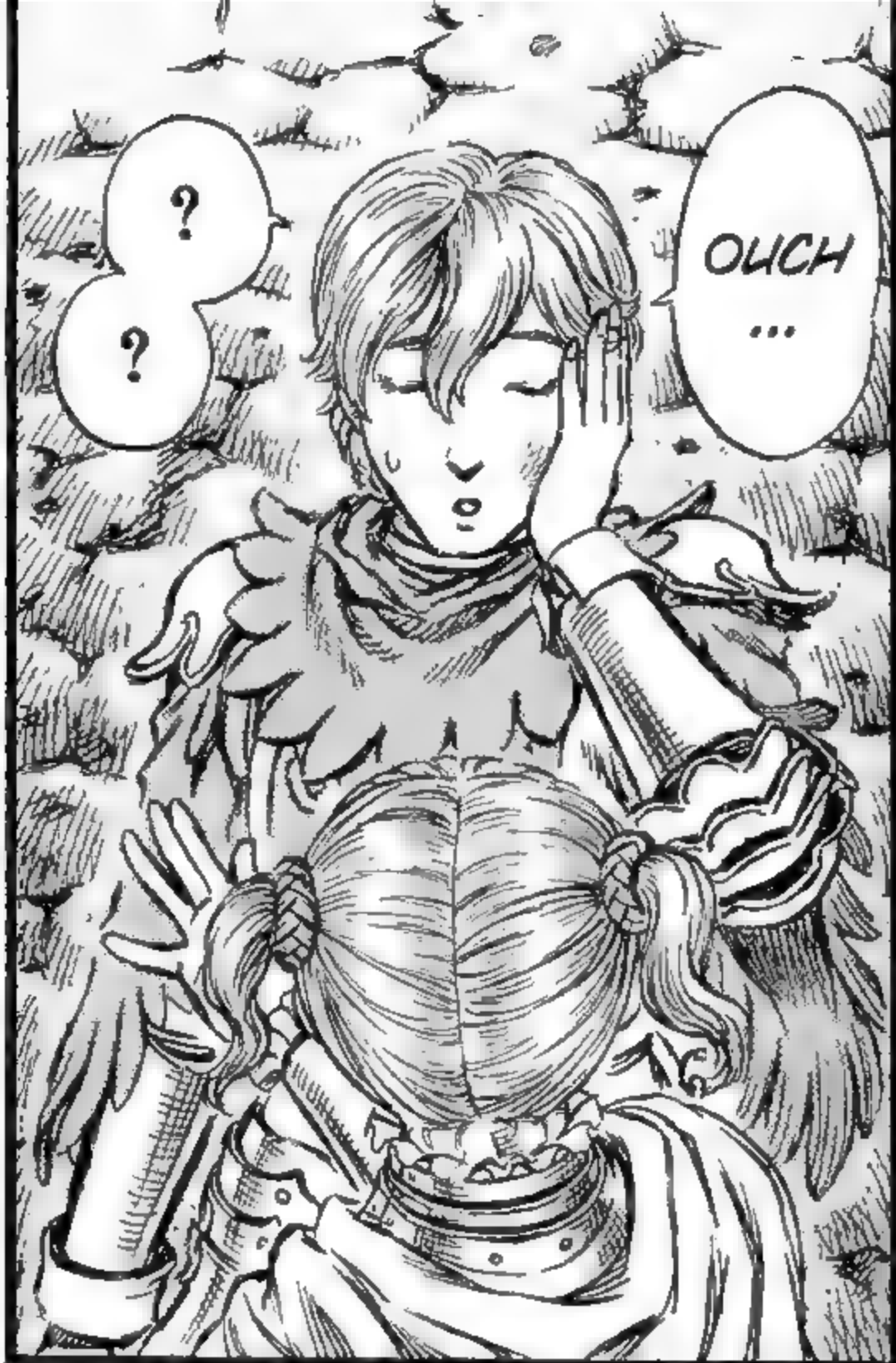
THOUGH THIS BE A SACRED DUTY, YOU MUST UNDERSTAND...

YOU MUST UNDERSTAND.

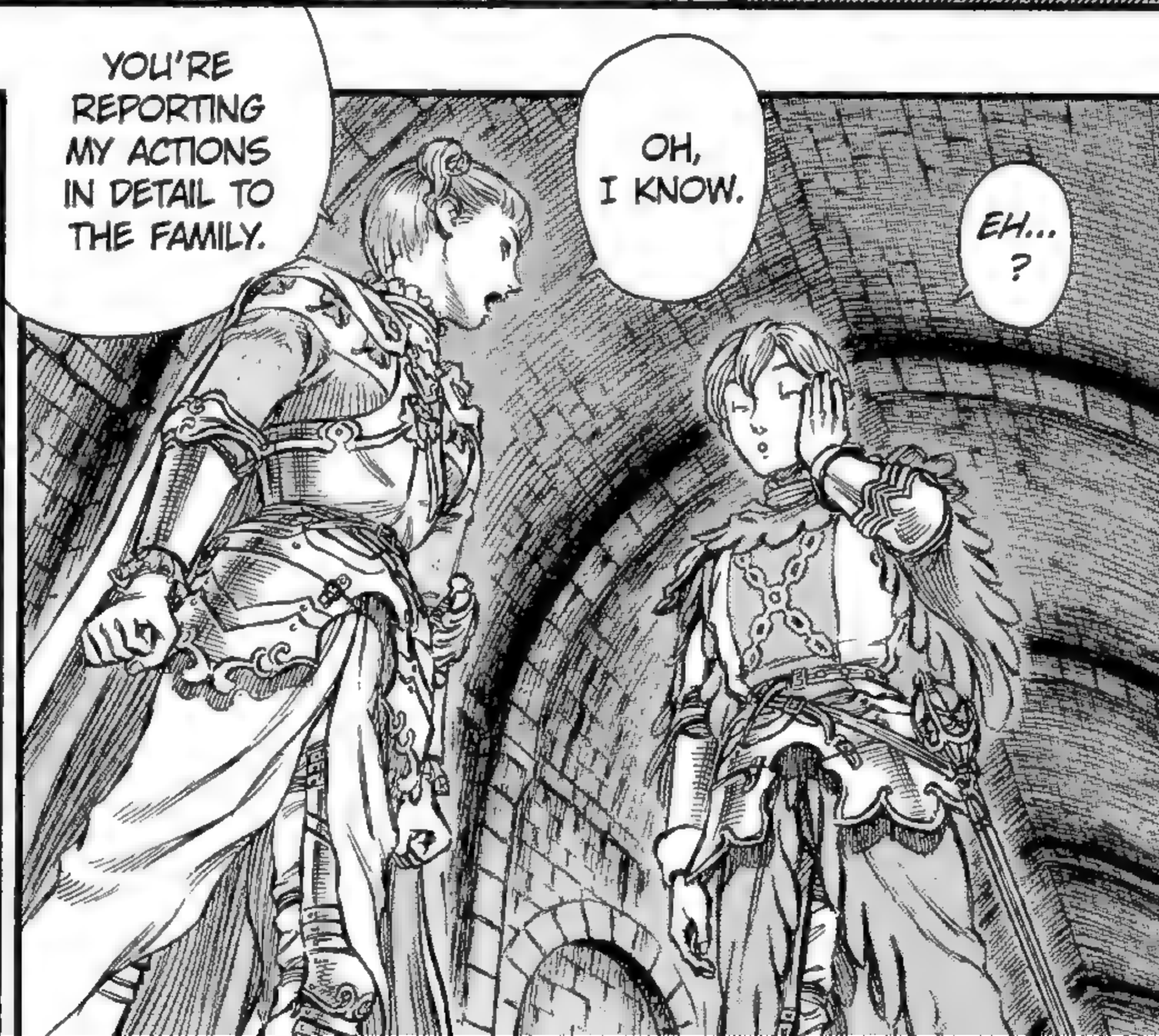
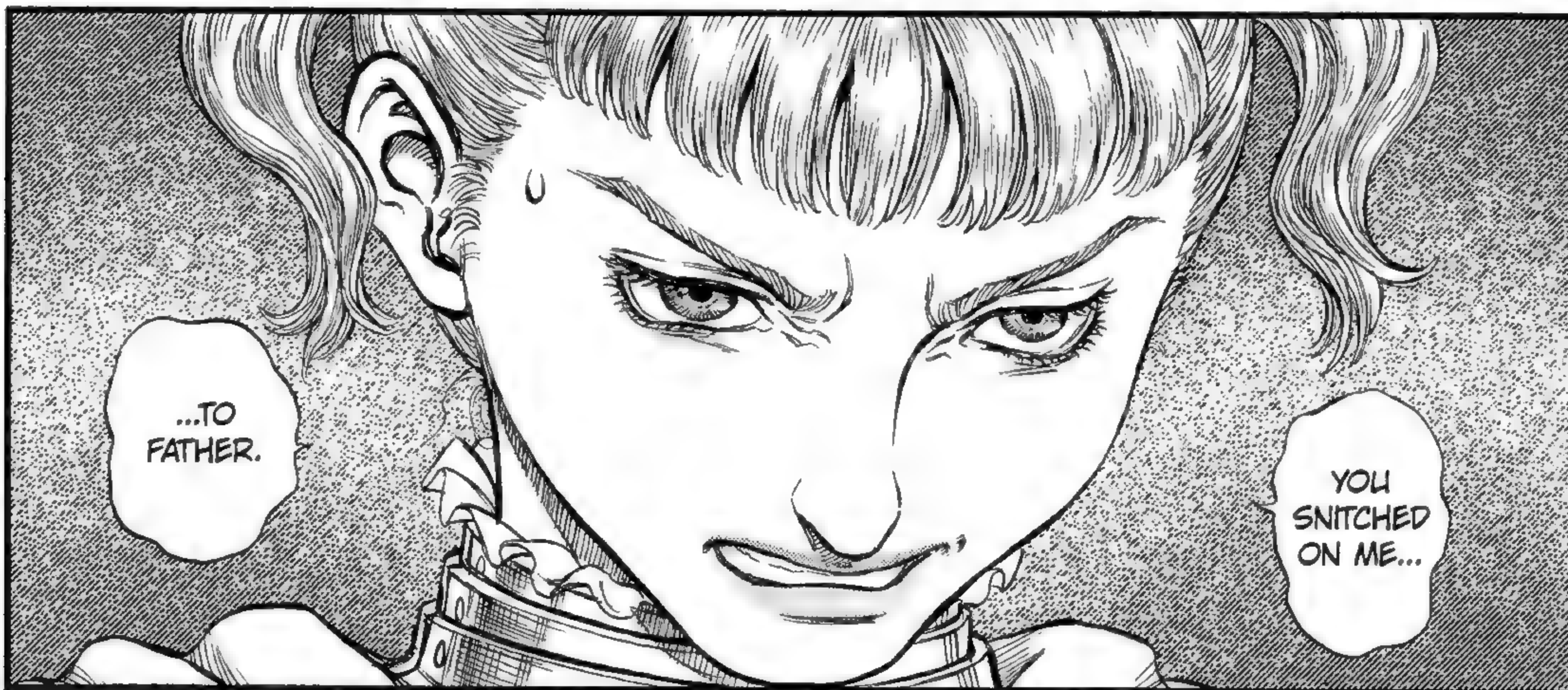


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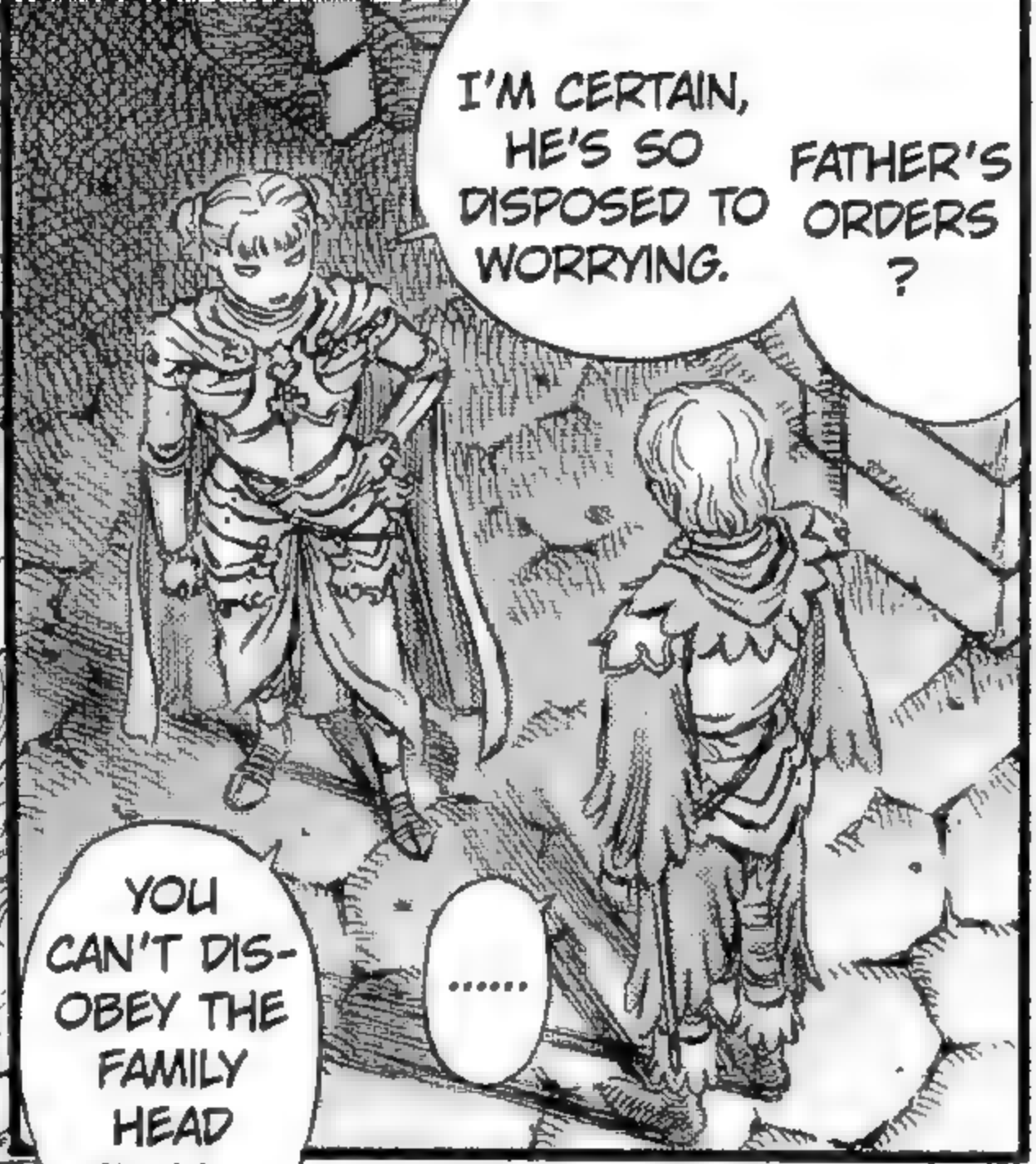


*FX: WHAP





...I AM
YOUR
MASTER.



I'M CERTAIN,
HE'S SO
DISPOSED TO
WORRYING.

FATHER'S
ORDERS
?

YOU
CAN'T DIS-
OBEY THE
FAMILY
HEAD
EITHER.

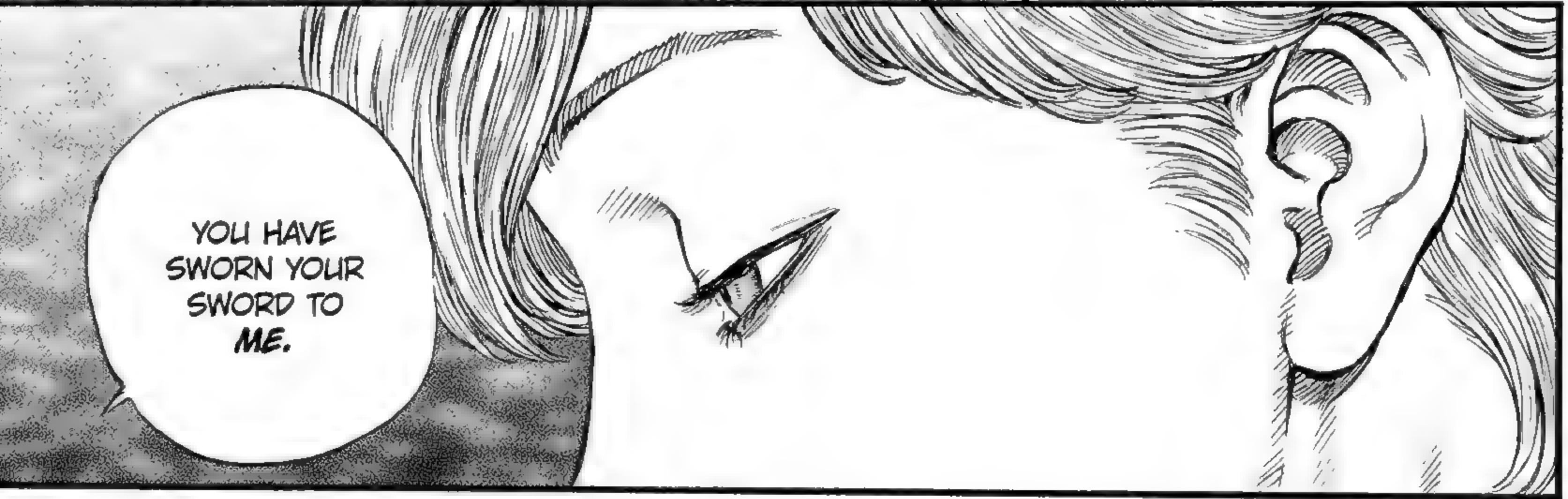
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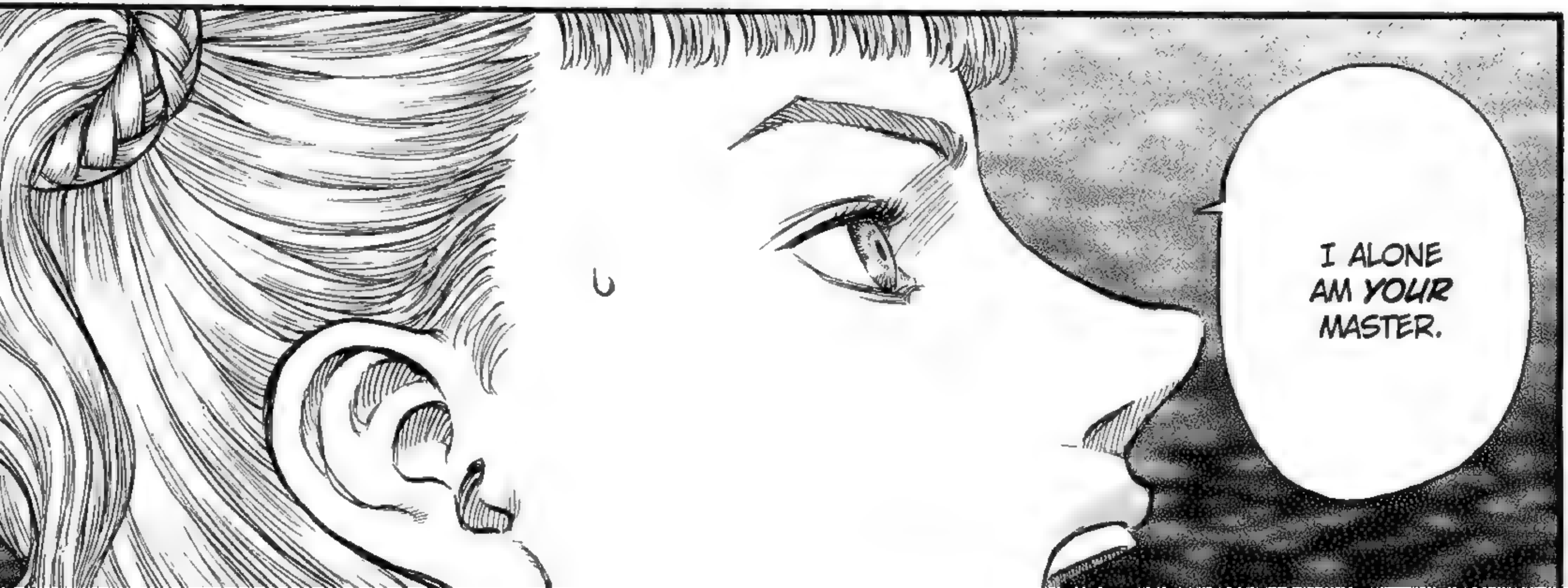
BUT
DON'T
YOU
FORGET
...



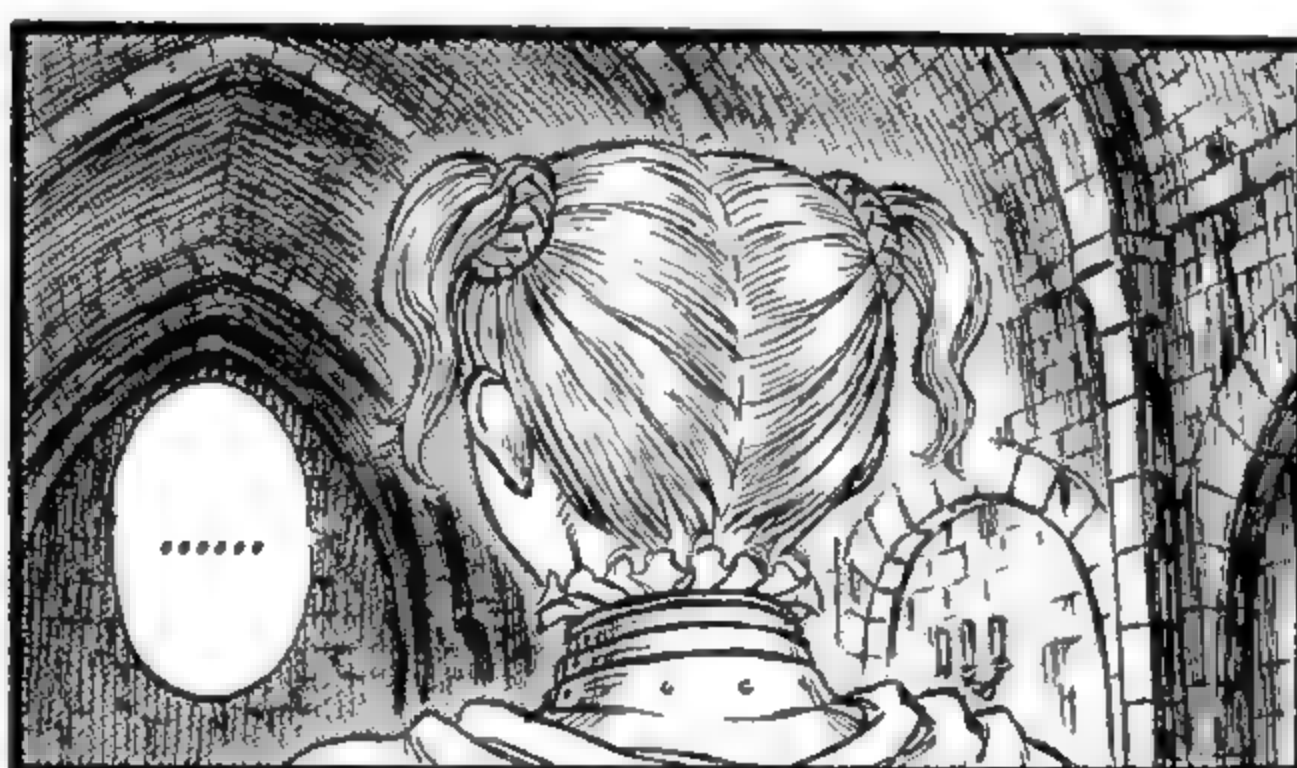
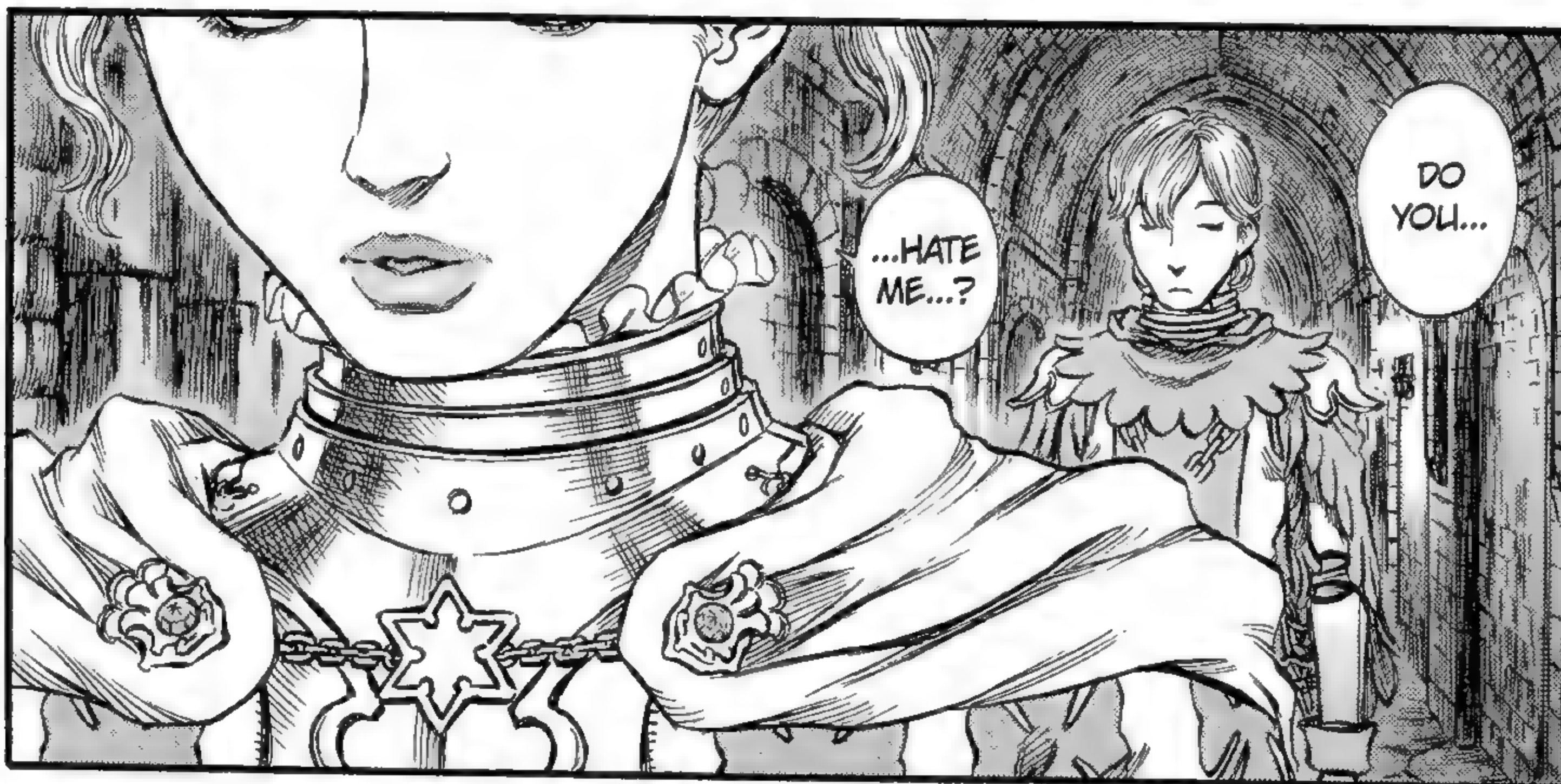
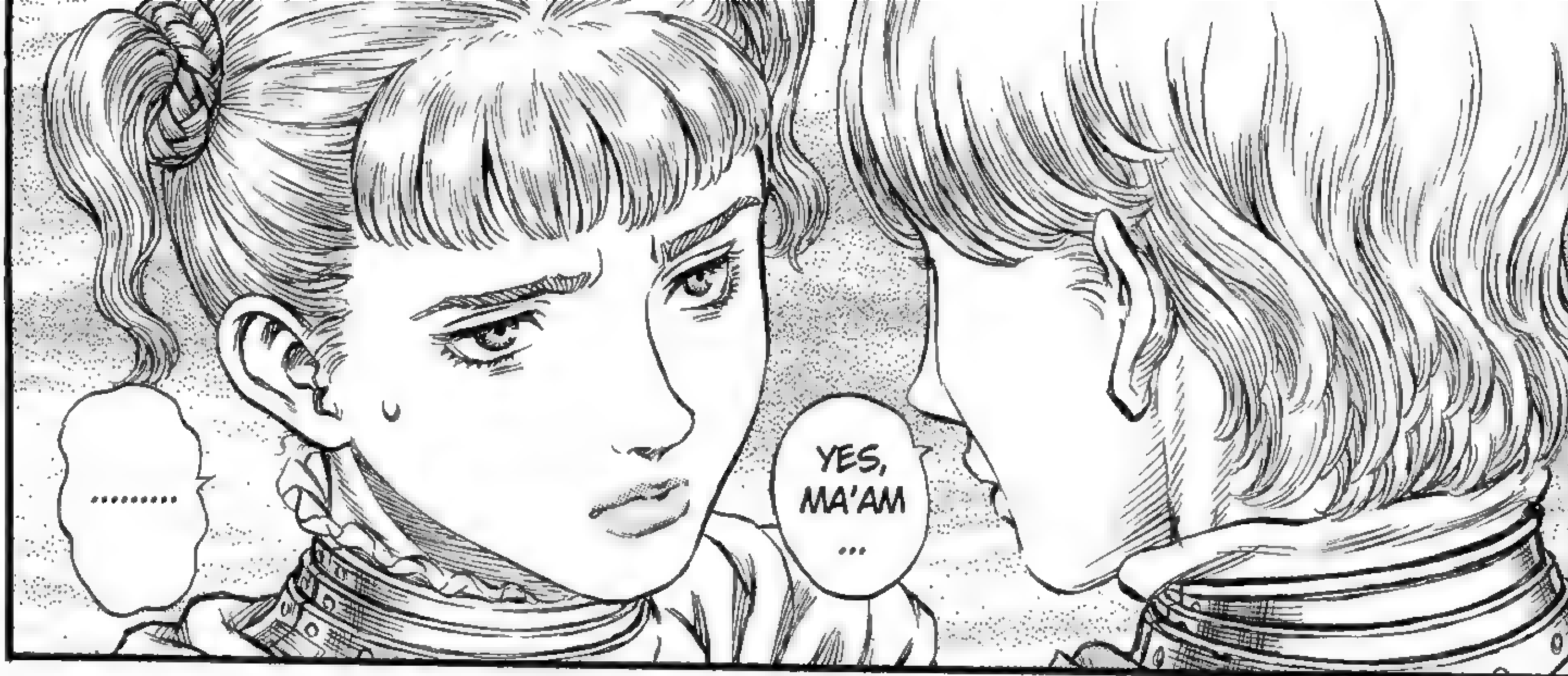
INDEED.



YOU HAVE
SWORN YOUR
SWORD TO
ME.



I ALONE
AM YOUR
MASTER.





YOU DISCLOSED
EVERYTHING
BEFORE WE
COULD EVEN
RIP OFF ONE
FINGERNAIL.

I'VE
NEVER SEEN
ANYONE AS
MISERABLE
AS YOU.

I-I'M
SORRY...



SAVOR IT.

THIS IS YOUR
LAST NIGHT,
BOUGHT WITH
THE BLOOD OF
YOUR FRIEND.

*FX: IGH-ICK



PLEASE
FORGIVE
ME...

AH'M
ZHORRY.
AH'M
ZHORRY.

*FX: ENGH

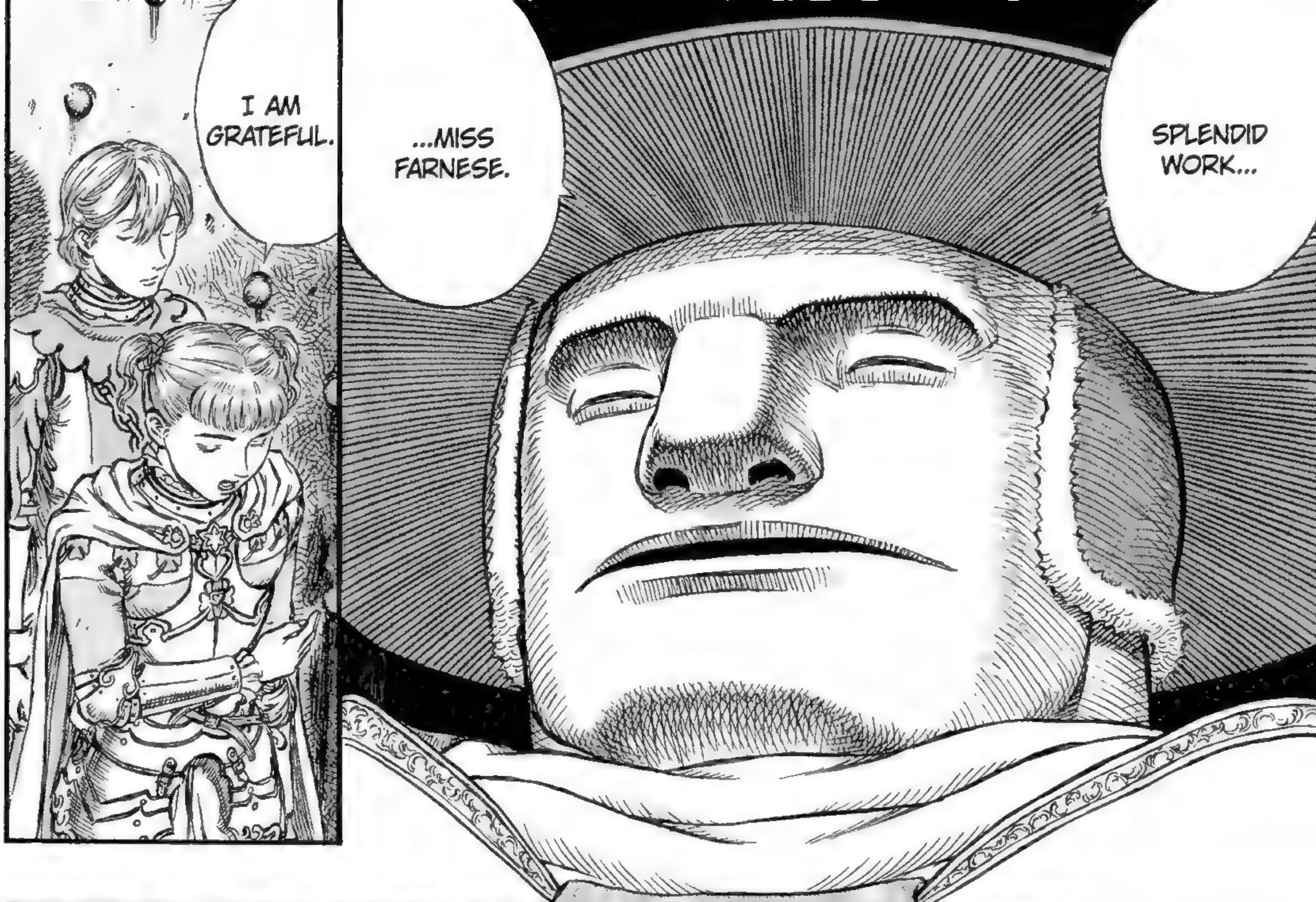
*FX: UWEHHH



DON'T
APOLOGIZE.
IT'S DE-
PRESSING.

AH-AH'M
ZHORRY.

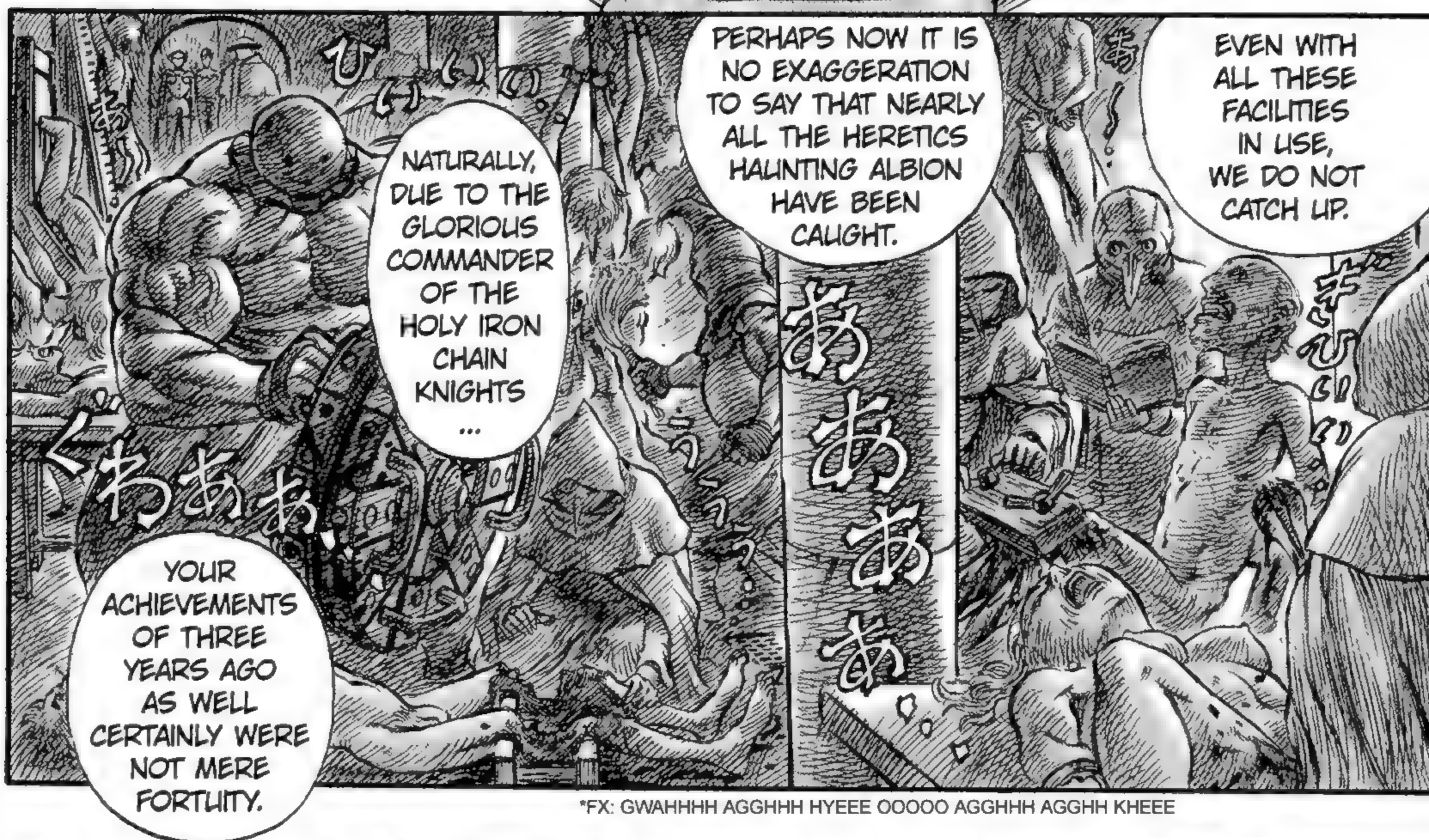
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I AM GRATEFUL.

...MISS FARNESE.

SPLENDID WORK...



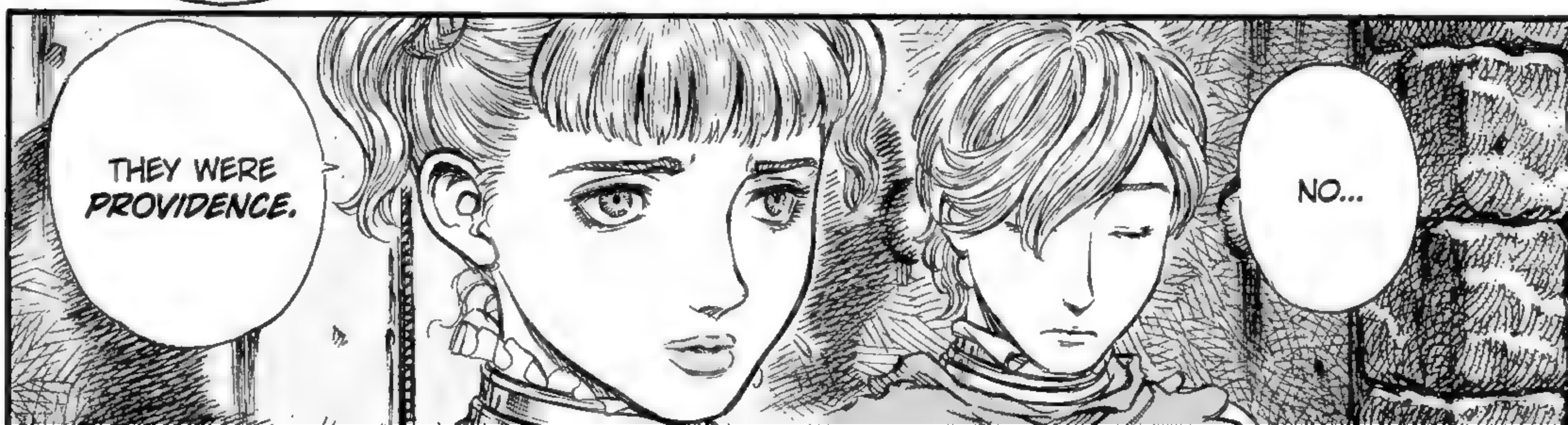
NATURALLY, DUE TO THE GLORIOUS COMMANDER OF THE HOLY IRON CHAIN KNIGHTS ...

PERHAPS NOW IT IS NO EXAGGERATION TO SAY THAT NEARLY ALL THE HERETICS HAUNTING ALBION HAVE BEEN CAUGHT.

EVEN WITH ALL THESE FACILITIES IN USE, WE DO NOT CATCH UP.

YOUR ACHIEVEMENTS OF THREE YEARS AGO AS WELL CERTAINLY WERE NOT MERE FORTUITY.

*FX: GWAHHHH AGGHHH HYYYY OOOOO AGGHHH AGGHH KHEEE



THEY WERE PROVIDENCE.

NO...



NO, IT IS
NOTHING...



...I WILL DO
ALL IN MY
POWER TO
GIVE ACCOM-
MODATION TO
YOU AT THE
HOLY SEE.

REGARDING
CASUALTIES
SUFFERED
DURING
THIS TASK...

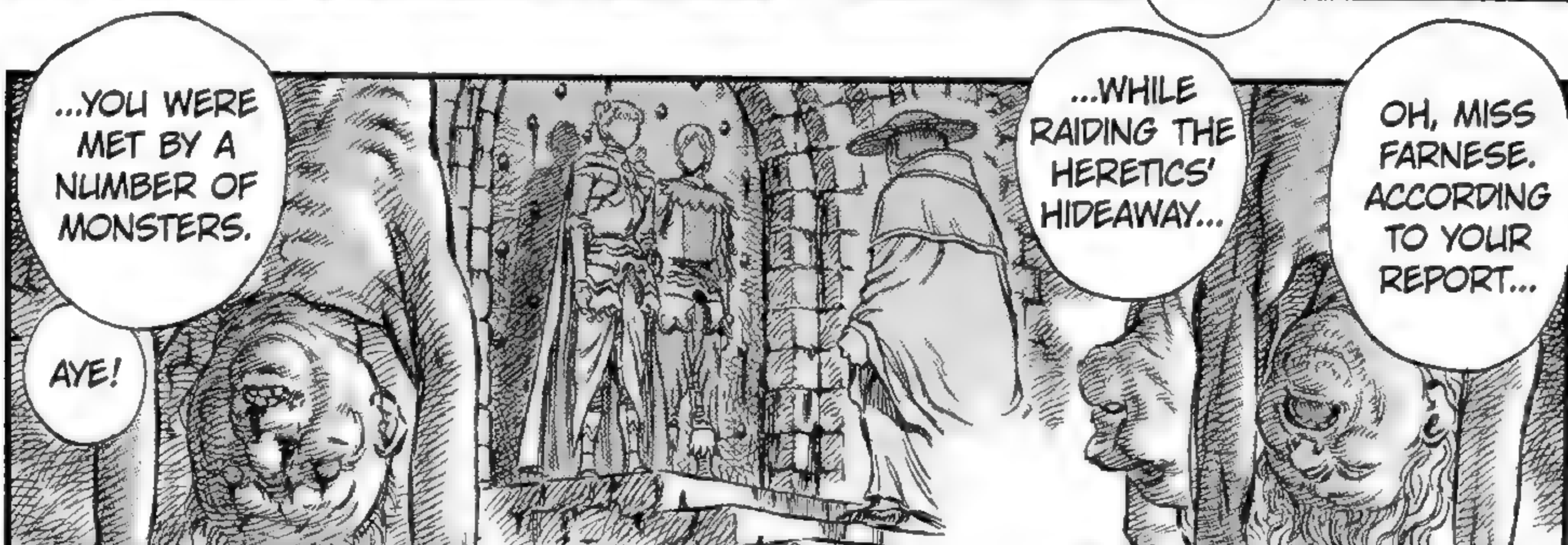
AGAIN YOU
BRING ME
GREAT JOY.



YES?



FATHER
MOZGUS,
HM...

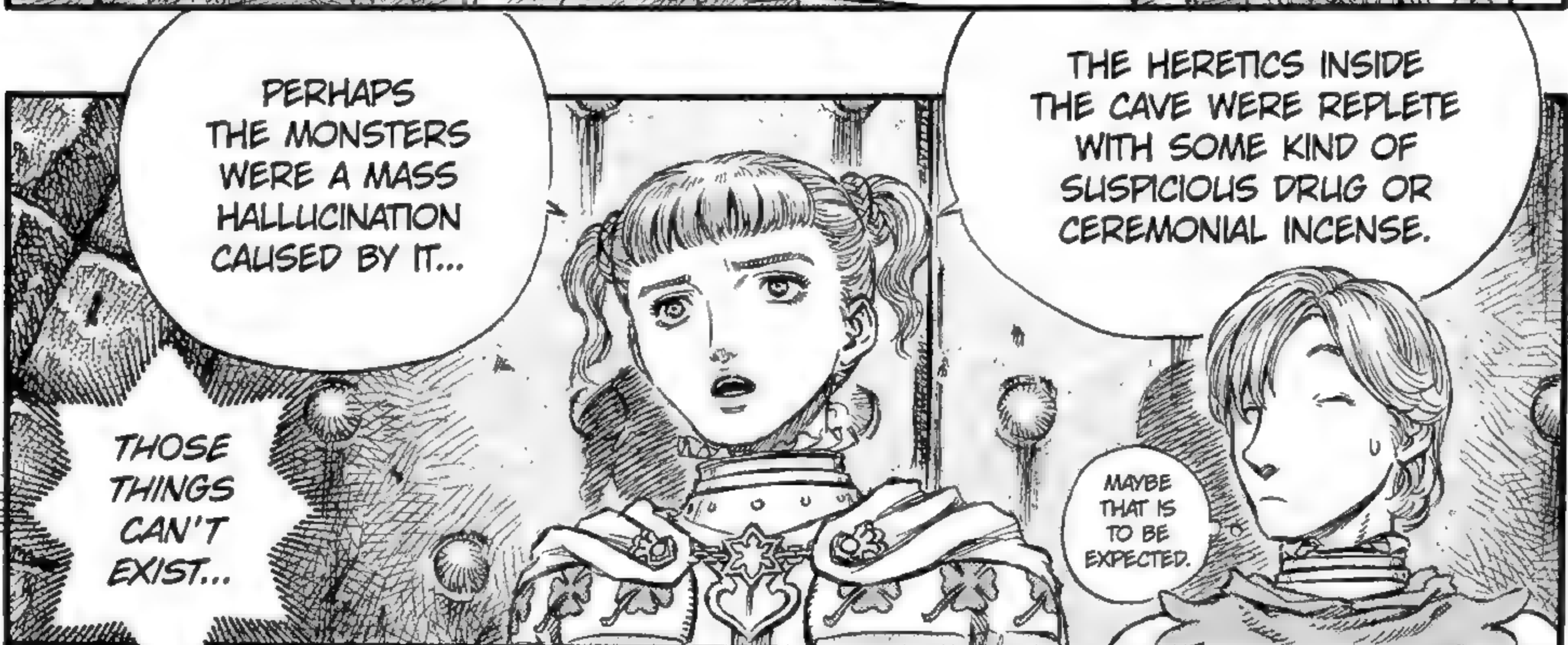


...YOU WERE
MET BY A
NUMBER OF
MONSTERS.

AYE!

...WHILE
RAIDING THE
HERETICS'
HIDEAWAY...

OH, MISS
FARNESE.
ACCORDING
TO YOUR
REPORT...



PERHAPS
THE MONSTERS
WERE A MASS
HALLUCINATION
CAUSED BY IT...

THOSE
THINGS
CAN'T
EXIST...

THE HERETICS INSIDE
THE CAVE WERE REPLETE
WITH SOME KIND OF
SUSPICIOUS DRUG OR
CEREMONIAL INCENSE.

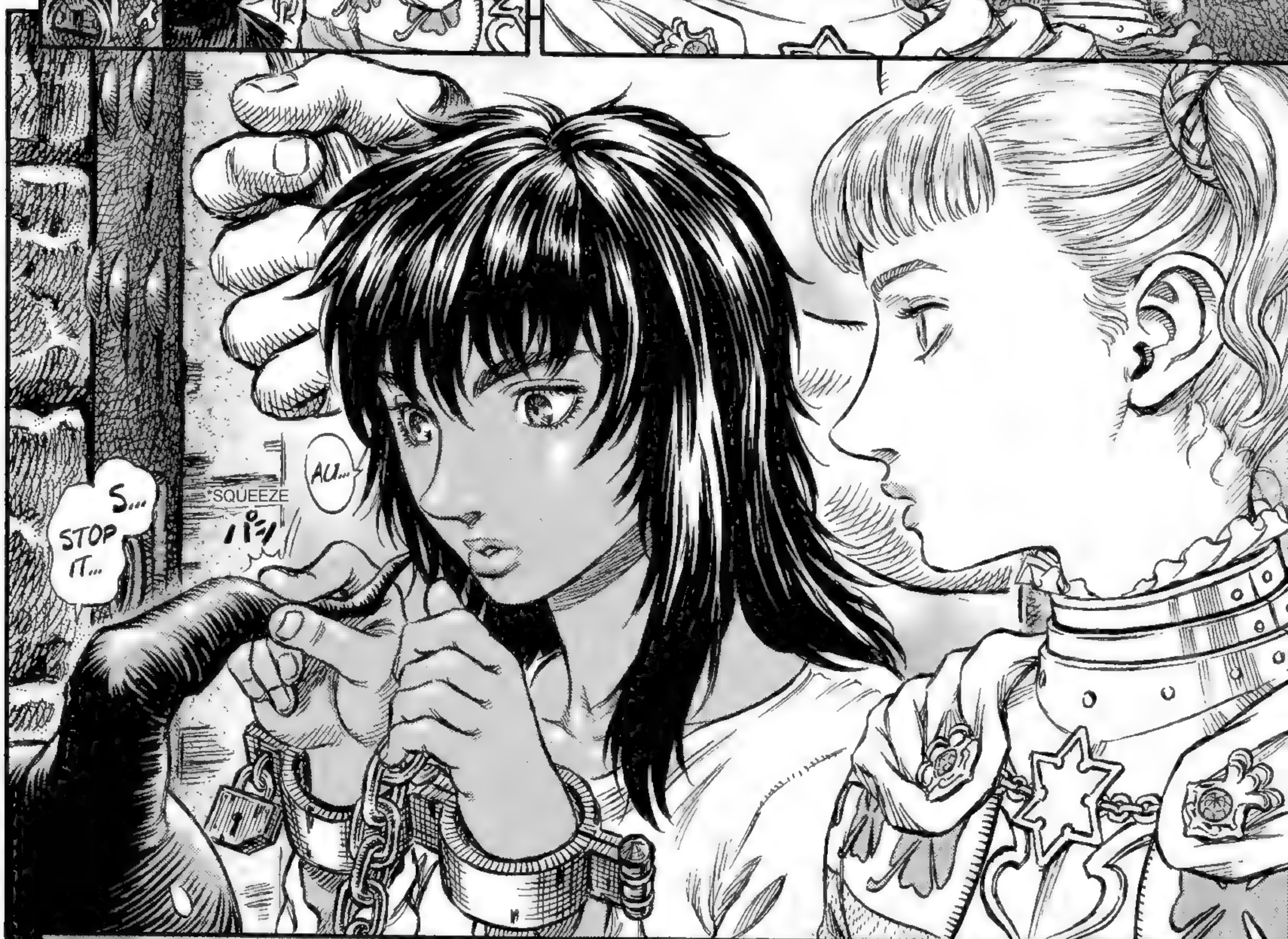
MAYBE
THAT IS
TO BE
EXPECTED.



...WHO YOU
ONCE PURSUED,
APPEARED
THERE...

...YOU MENTIONED
THAT THE BLACK
SWORDSMAN...

ALSO
WITHIN
YOUR
REPORT...



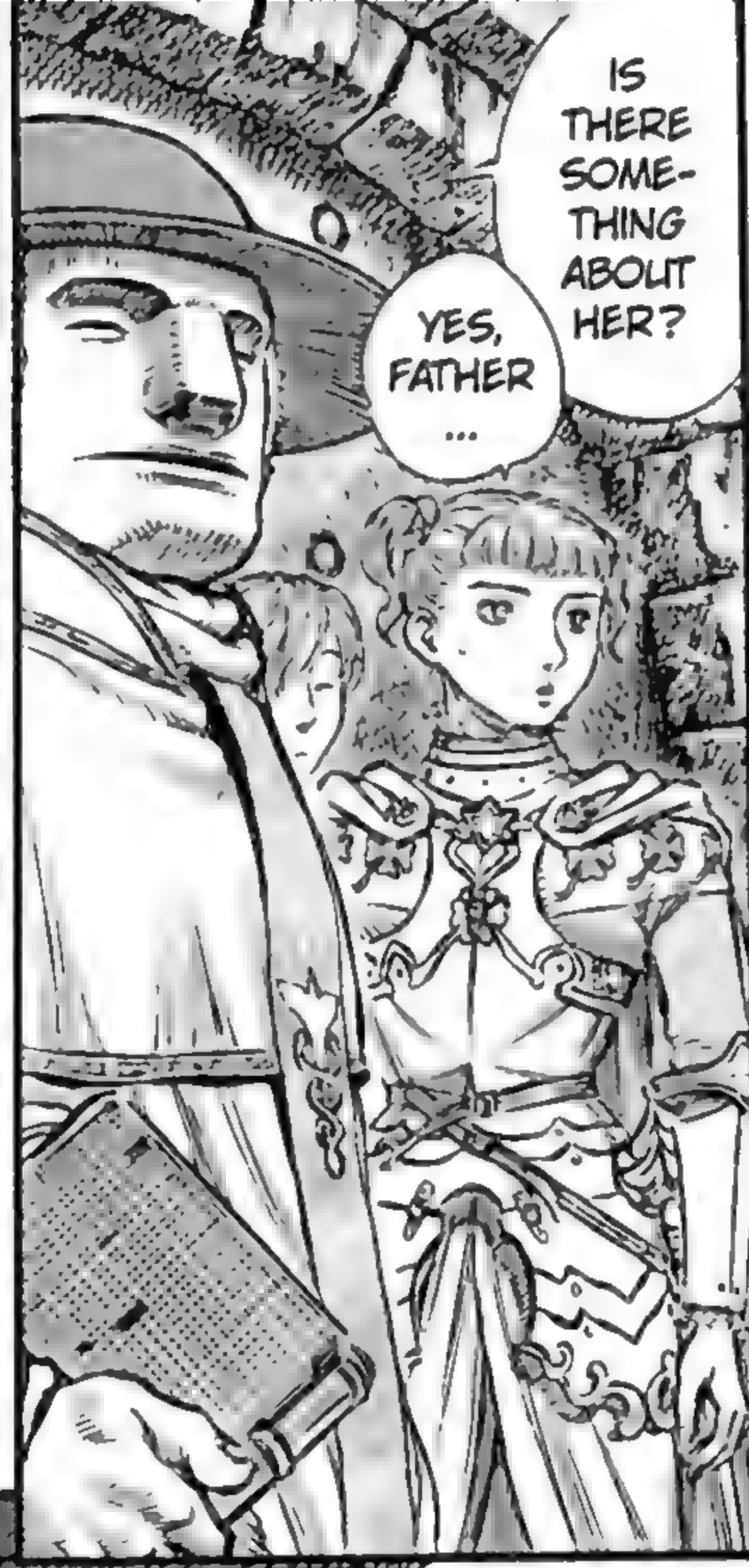


I
HAVE A
REPORT.



WHEN
THE BLACK
SWORDS-
MAN
APPEARED
...

...IT SEEMED
TO ME HE
WAS TRYING
TO RESCUE
HER...



YES,
FATHER
...

IS
THERE
SOME-
THING
ABOUT
HER?



AS YOU
CAN HEAR,
THEY ALL PLEAD
FOR HER TO
SAVE THEM.

PLEASE
SAVE
MEEE...

ACCORDING
TO THE CONFES-
SIONS OF THE
HERETICS, THAT
GIRL SEEMS TO
BE THEIR
SORCERESS...

...OR PERHAPS
SOME ICON
THEIR FAITH
WORSHIPS,
OF THAT
SORT.

MIS-
TRESS
WITCH
...

MIS-
TRESS
WITCH
...



...
CONNECTED
WITH THE
BLACK
SWORDS-
MAN...

HM...

THE
HERETICS'
SORCERESS
...

LOOM

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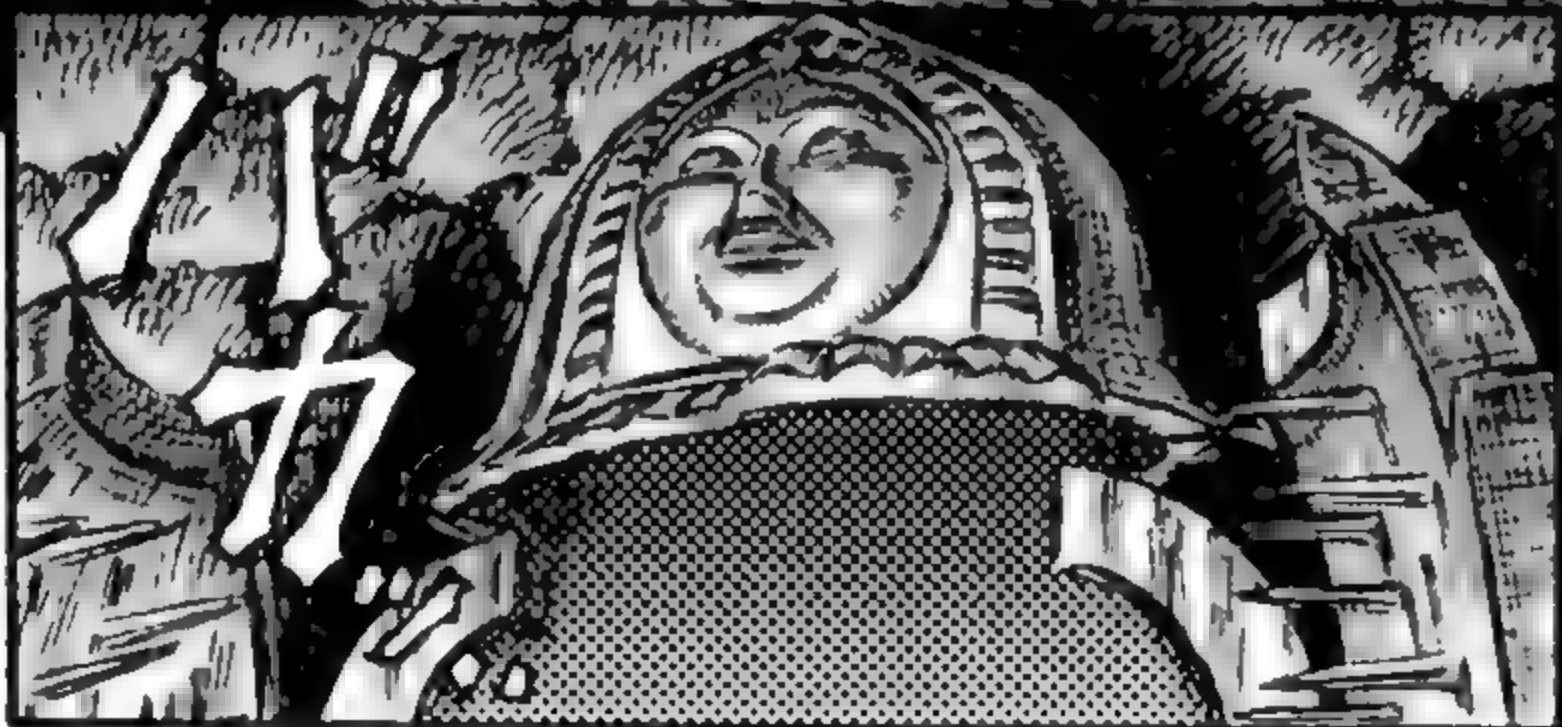
エ
ン
*FLINCH

SURELY,
THE MARK OF
A WITCH.

*GRAB

*RRRIP

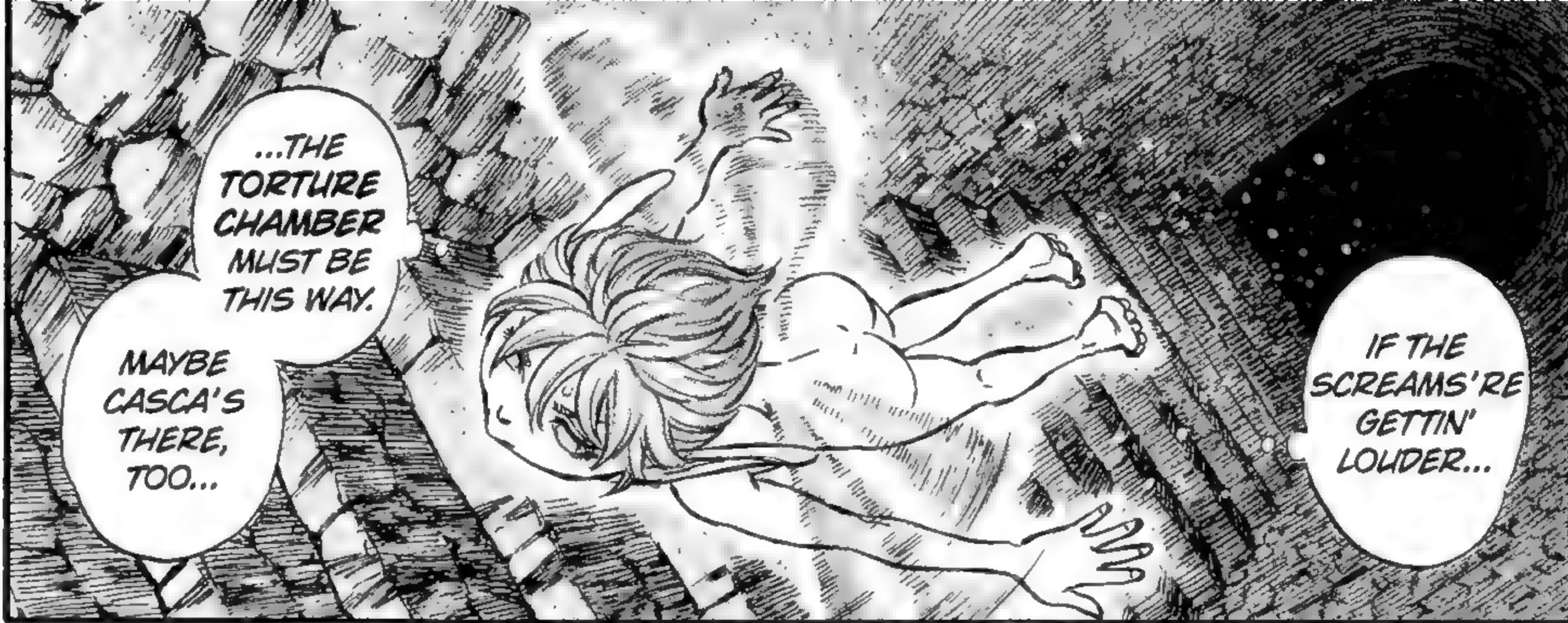
IT WOULD
SEEM THERE
IS NEED TO
INVESTIGATE
THIS GIRL
IN SPECIAL
DETAIL.



*FX BOK



*WHOP



MAYBE
CASCA'S
THERE,
TOO...

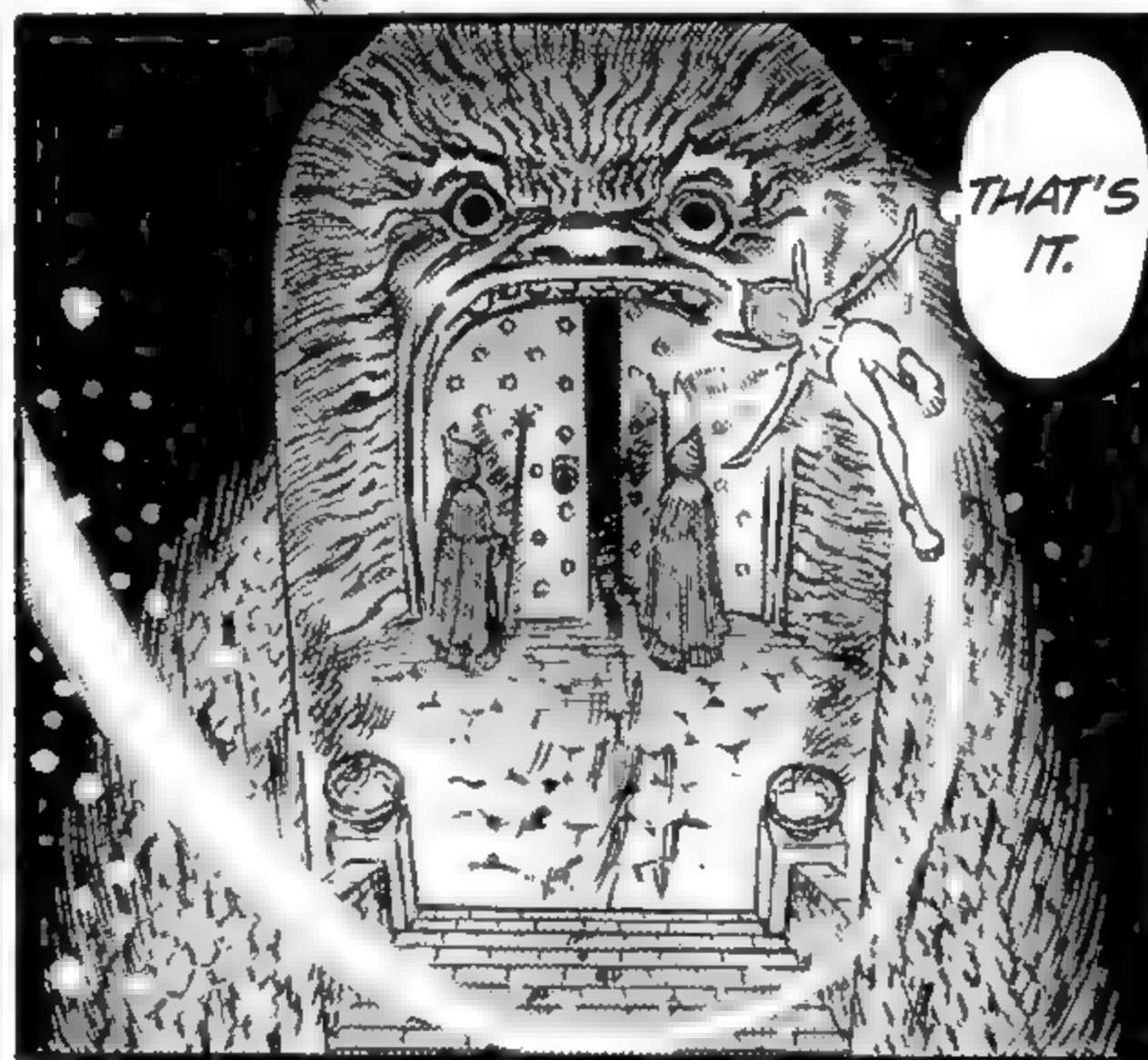
...THE
TORTURE
CHAMBER
MUST BE
THIS WAY.

IF THE
SCREAMS'RE
GETTIN'
LOUDER...

**I'VE GOTTA
HURRY!!**



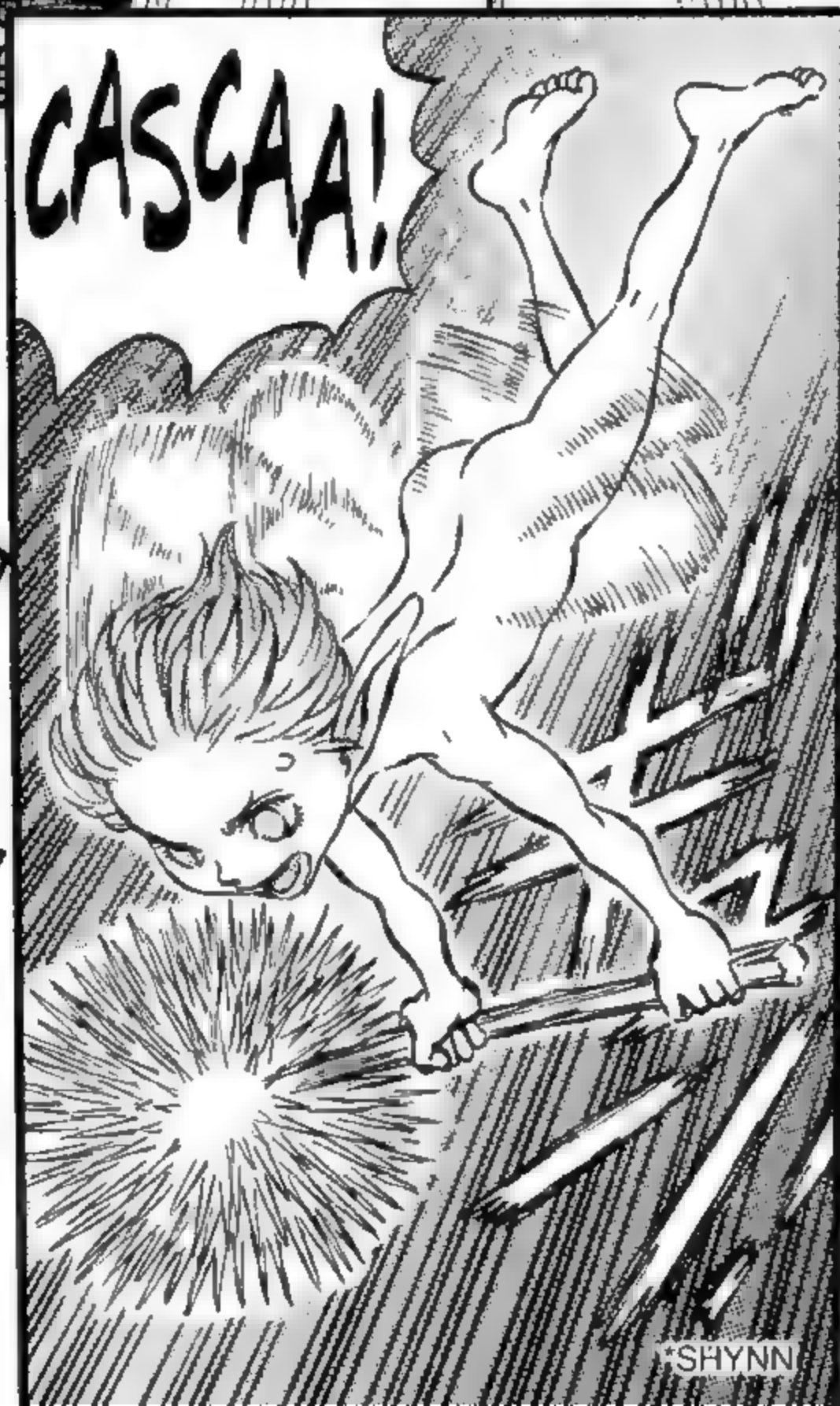
CAS--



THAT'S
IT.

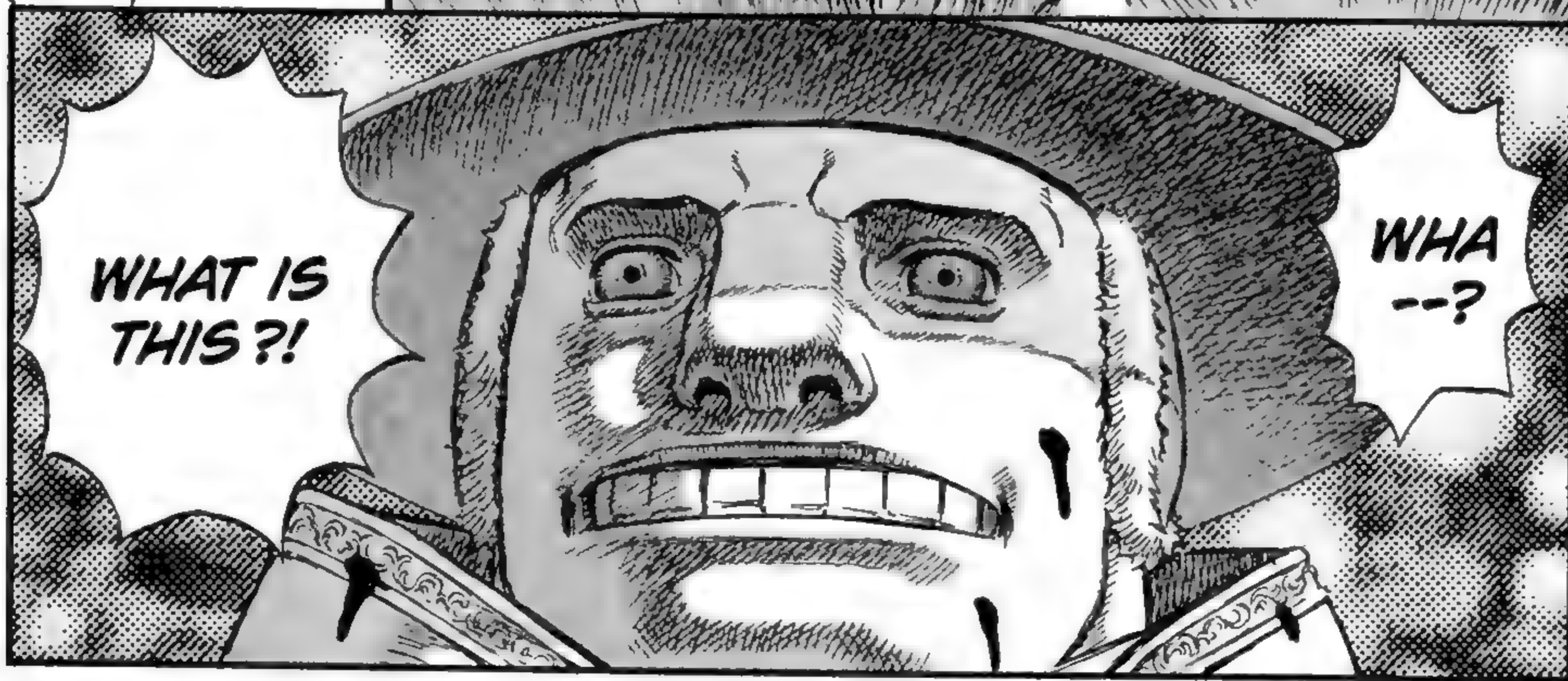
*FX: HYNN













CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
THE IRON MAIDEN: END

**CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER**

**BLOOD FLOW OF THE DEAD,
PART 1**

断罪篇

生誕祭の章 亡者の血流①

BERSERK

WHAT'S
THIS
PRES-
ENCE?

WHAT
IS IT?

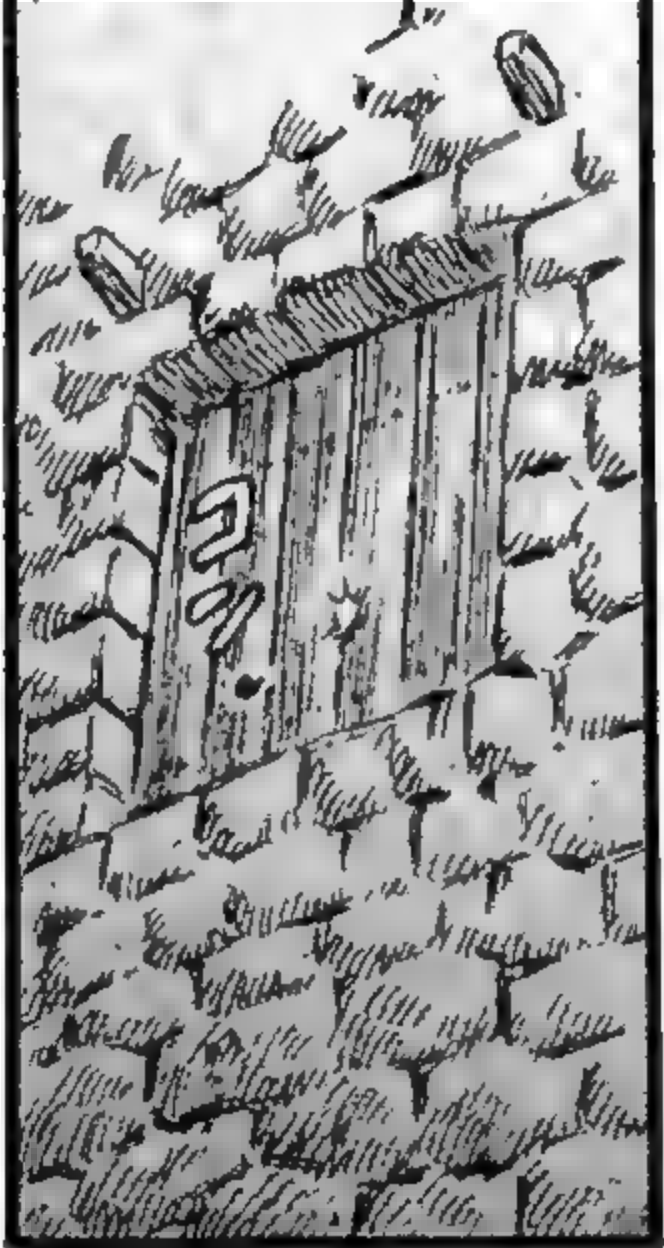
THE BACK
OF MY
NECK'S
OOZIN'.

THIS PLACE
IS BAD
NEWS....!!

AN
APOSTLE?
NO,
STRANGER...

SHH!
KEEP
YOUR
VOICE
DOWN.

YOWWW!
IT'S HUGE
WHEN YOU SEE
IT UP CLOSE!
IT'S MORE LIKE
A CITADEL THAN
A TEMPLE!

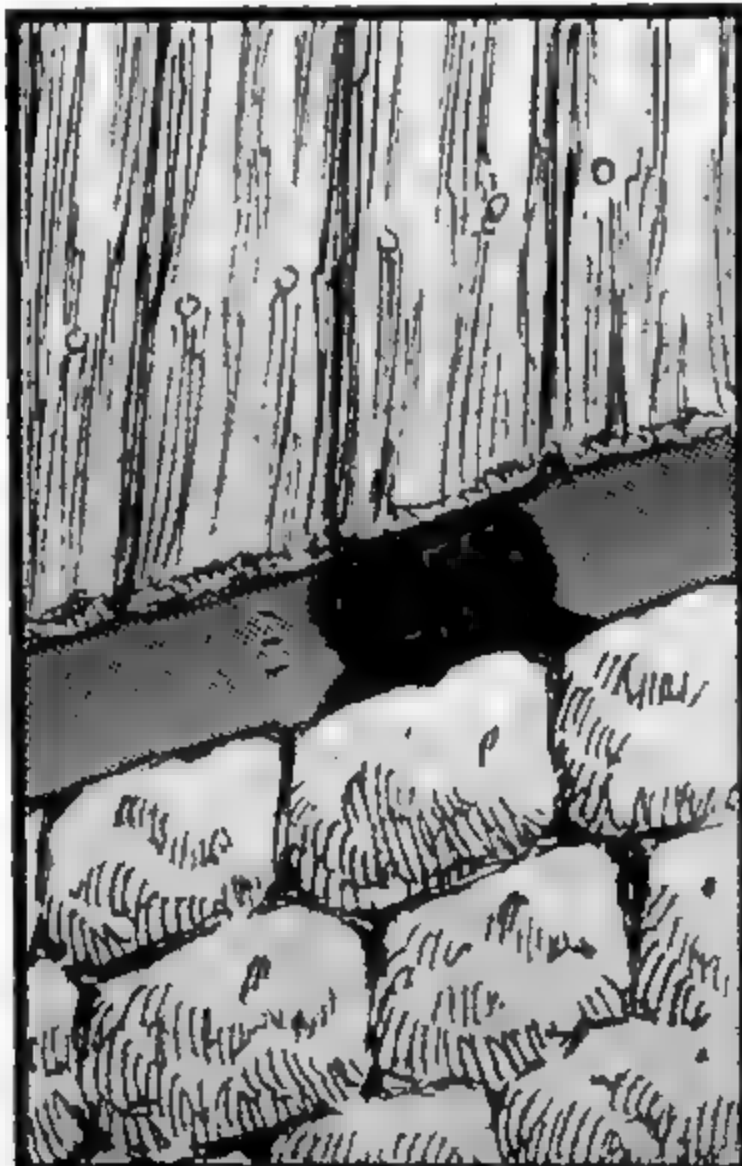
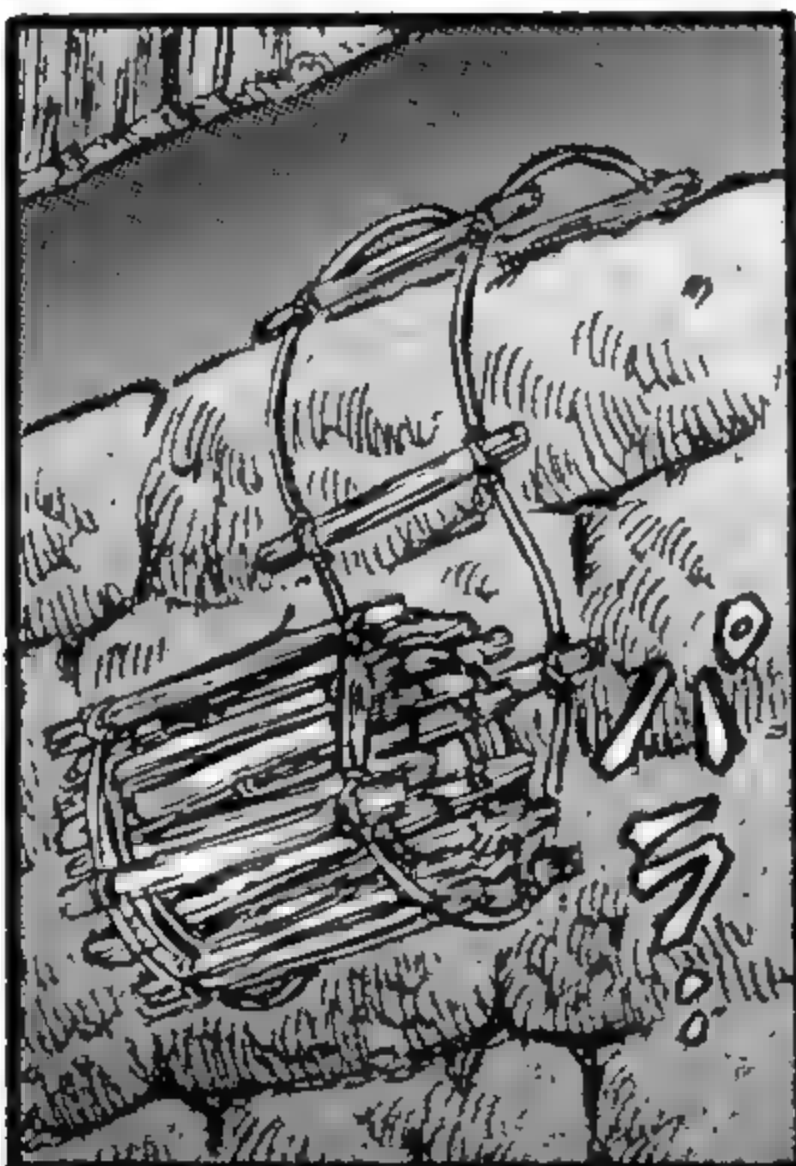


*FX: KONK



*FX: HNN

*FX: CLAPA



OH,
WHAT'S
THAT?
IT'S A
TRASH
CHUTE.



...BUT IF YOU
CAUSE A
SCENE NOW,
YOU WON'T
BE ABLE
TO SAVE
ANYONE.

I KNOW
YOU'RE IN
A HURRY...



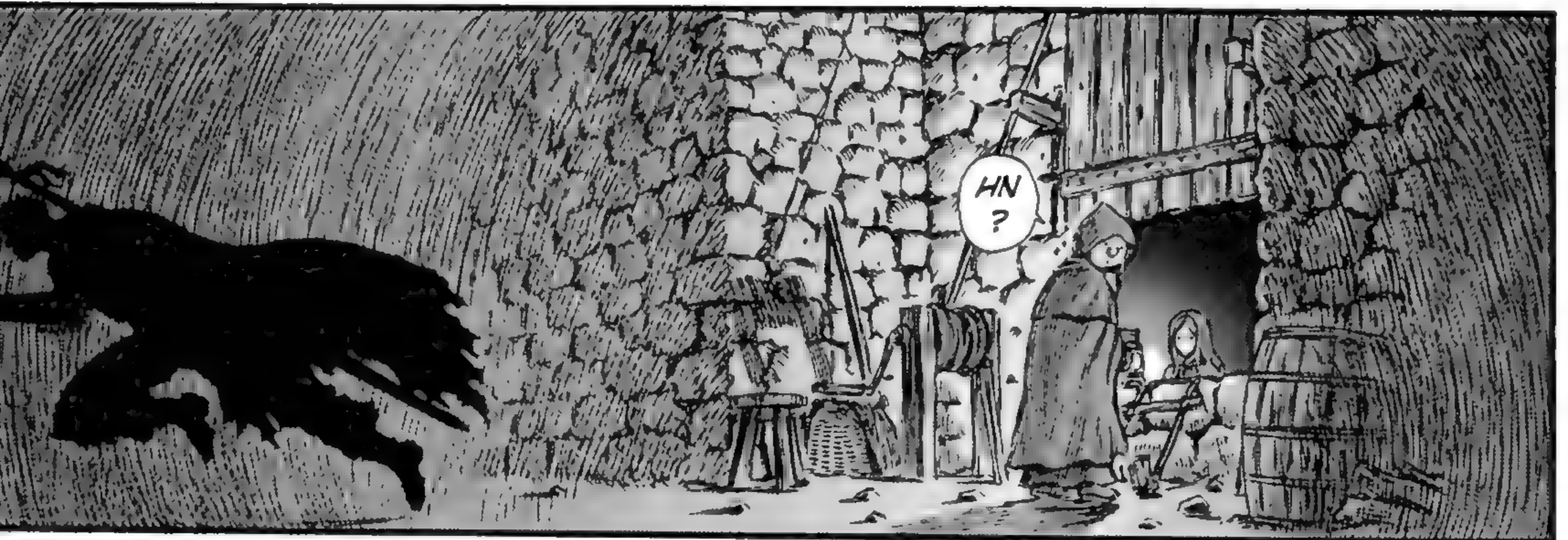
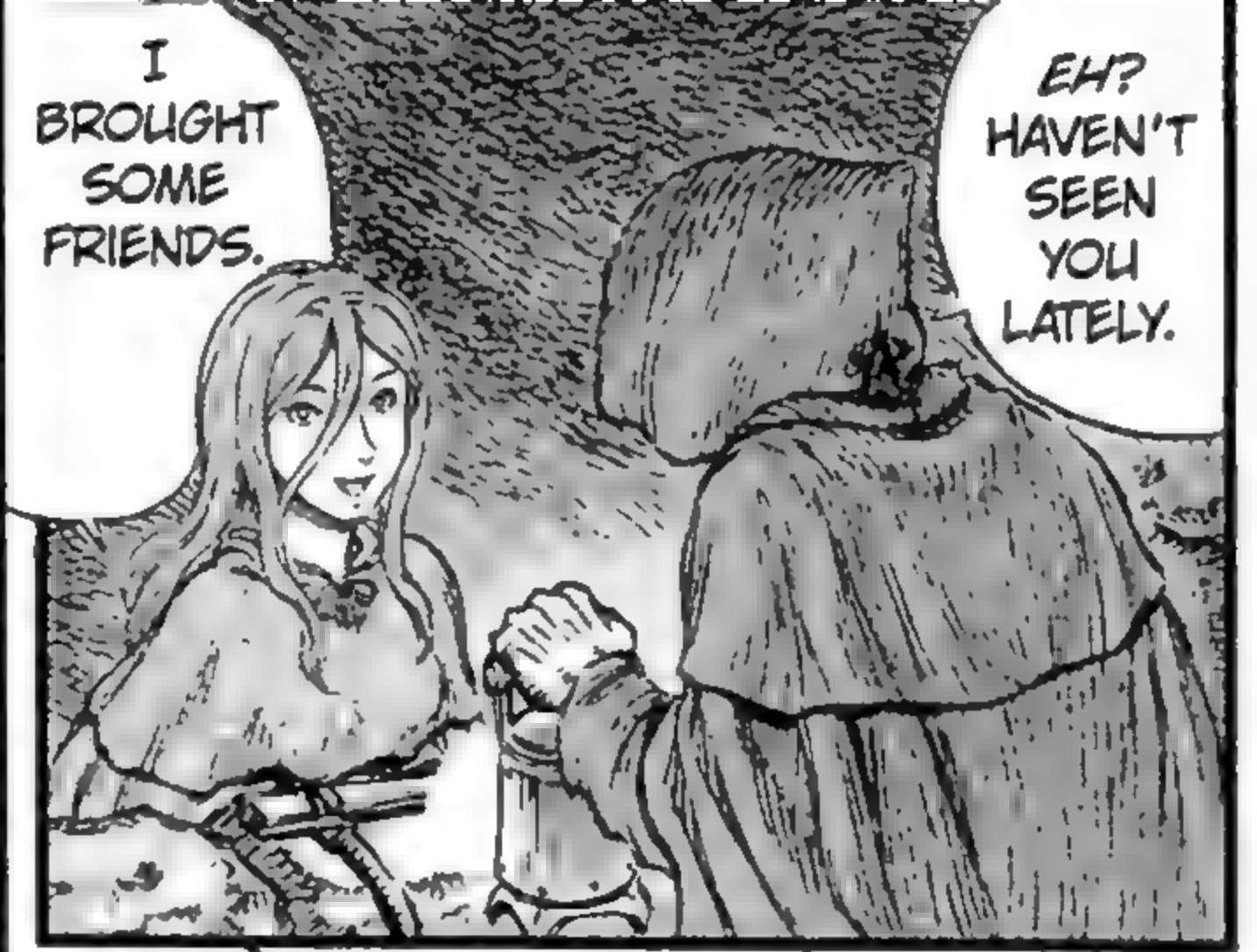
NEITHER
OF YOU
SHOW
YOUR
FACES.

WHAT'S
GOIN'
ON?



LEAVE
HER TO
ME.

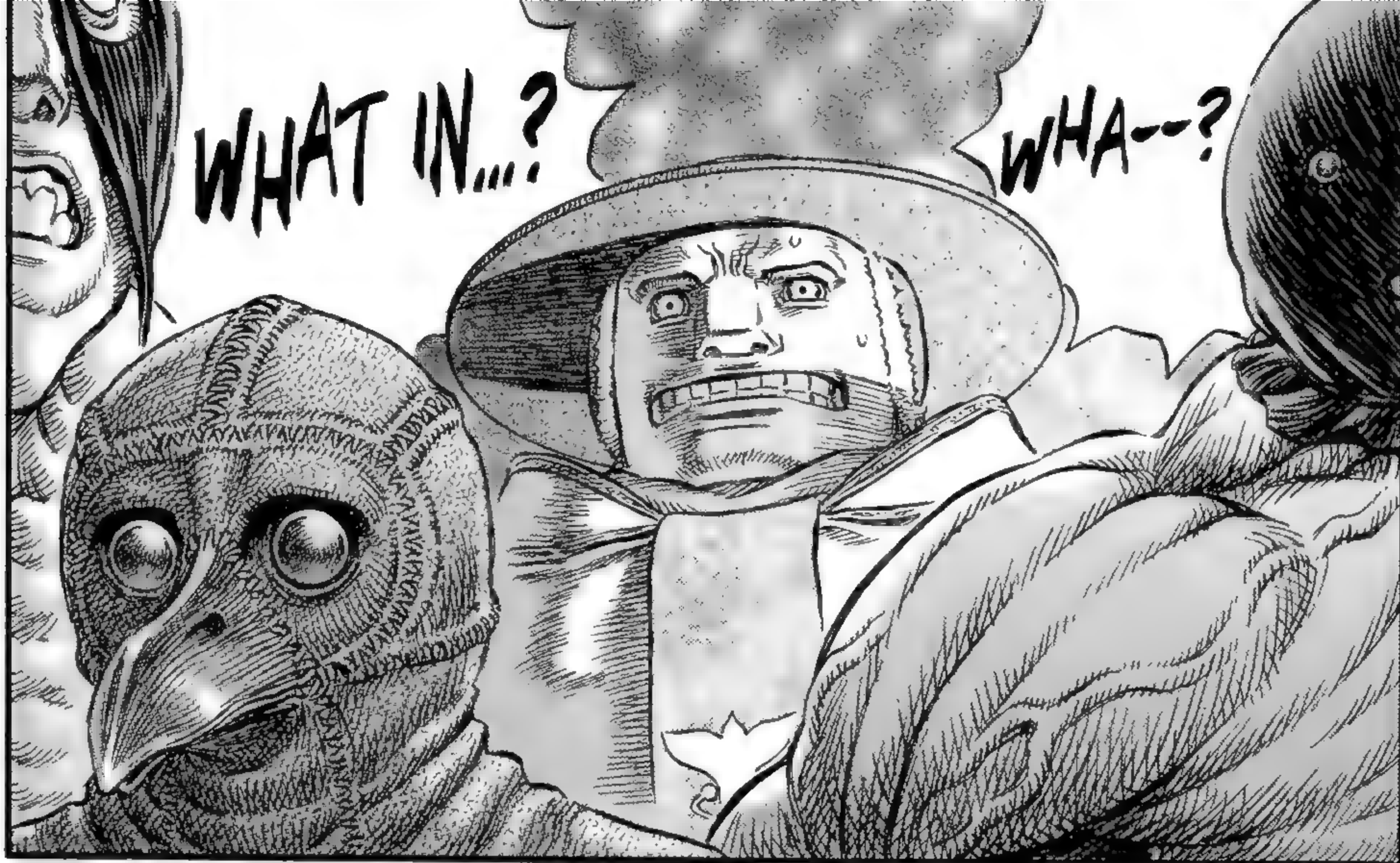
ELAINE
...
CASCA,
THAT IS.



**THIS
ANXIETY'S
GETTING
STRONGER!!**



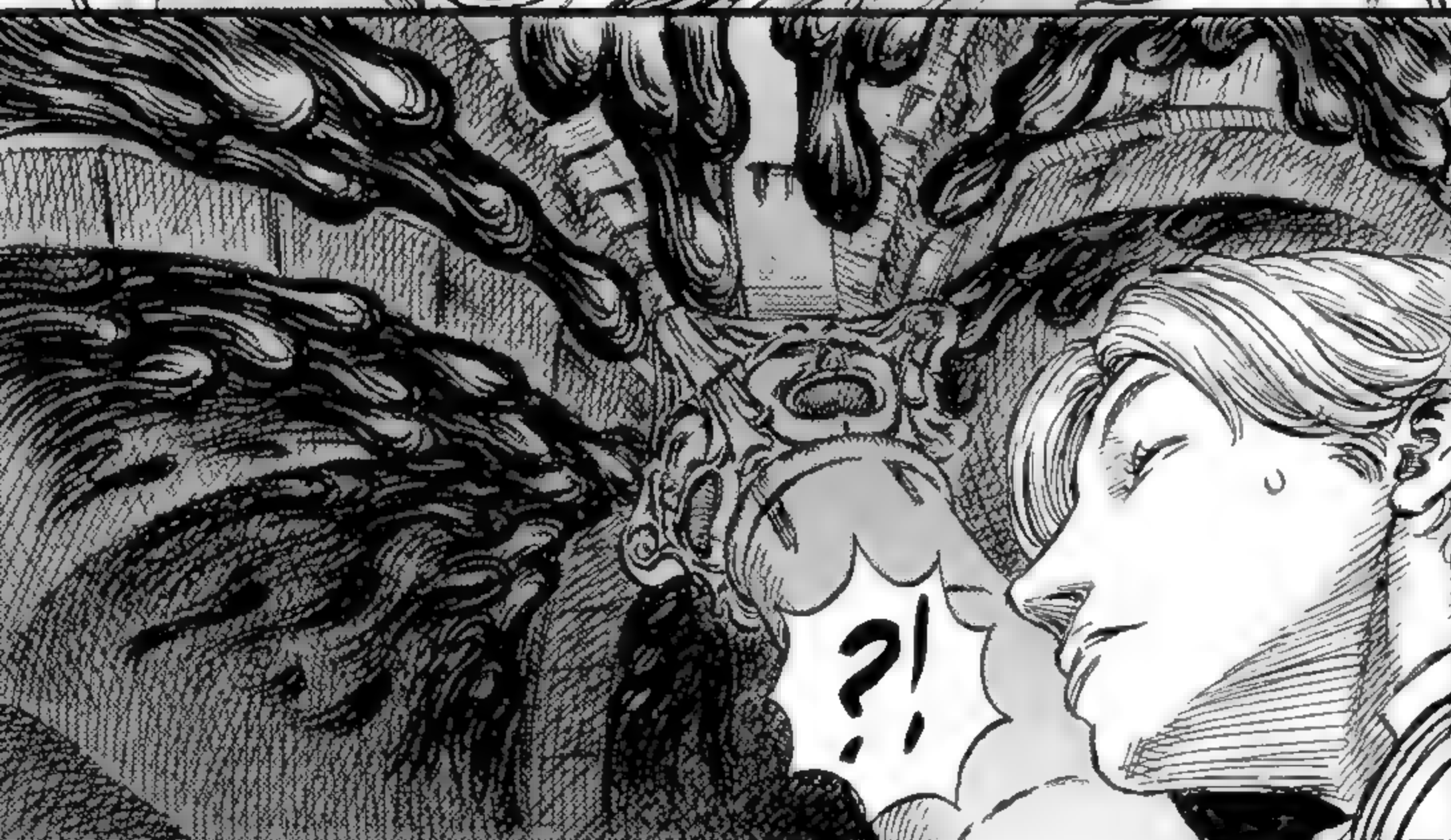
CASCA!!





STAY BACK,
PLEASE!

A-ARE
THOSE--?!



*FX: PLOP



BLOOD
...?!

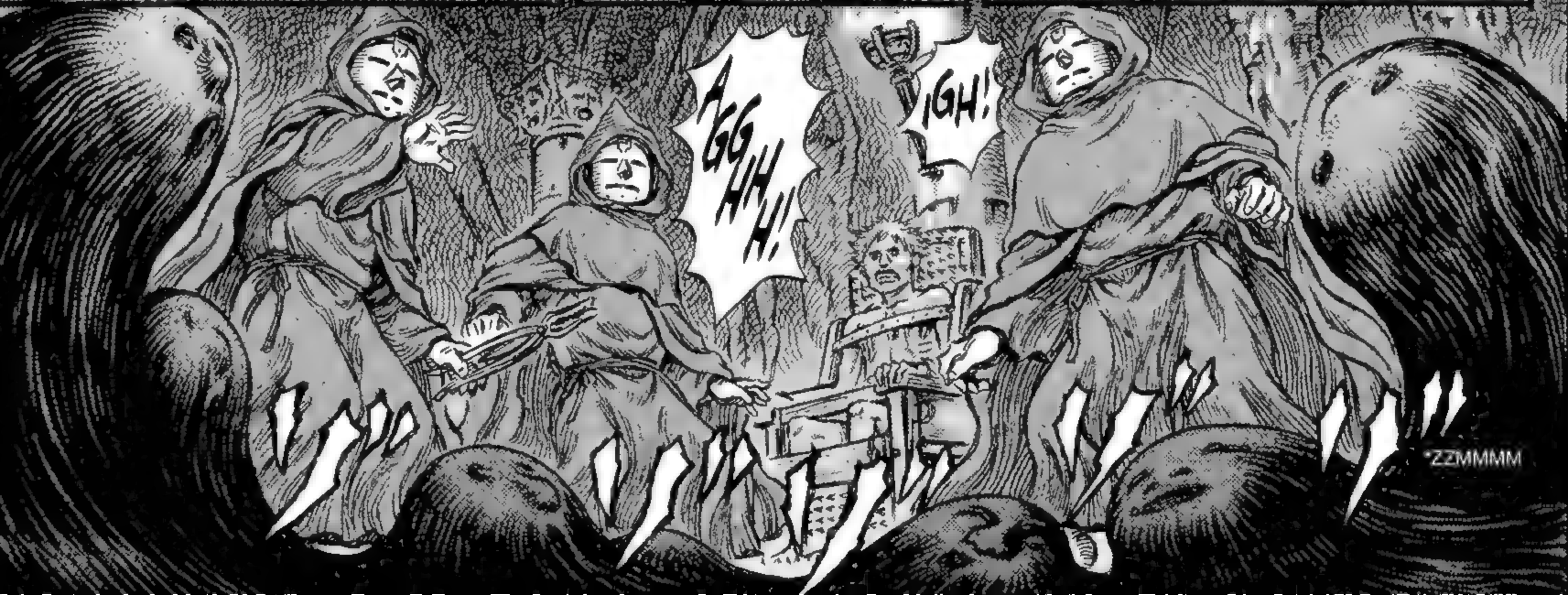
*FX: GOP GOP



*FX: BLORP



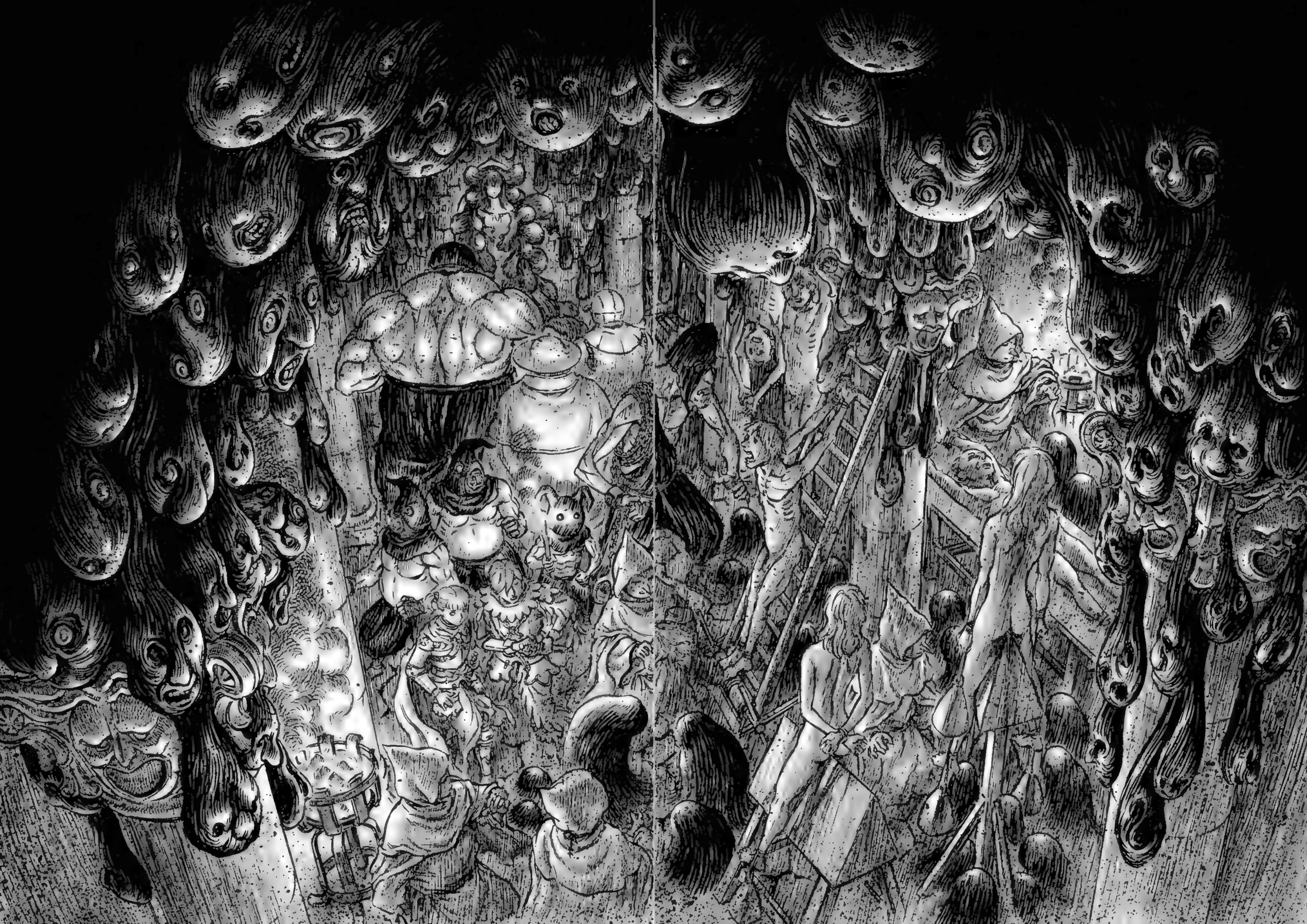
*FX: ZZZMMMM

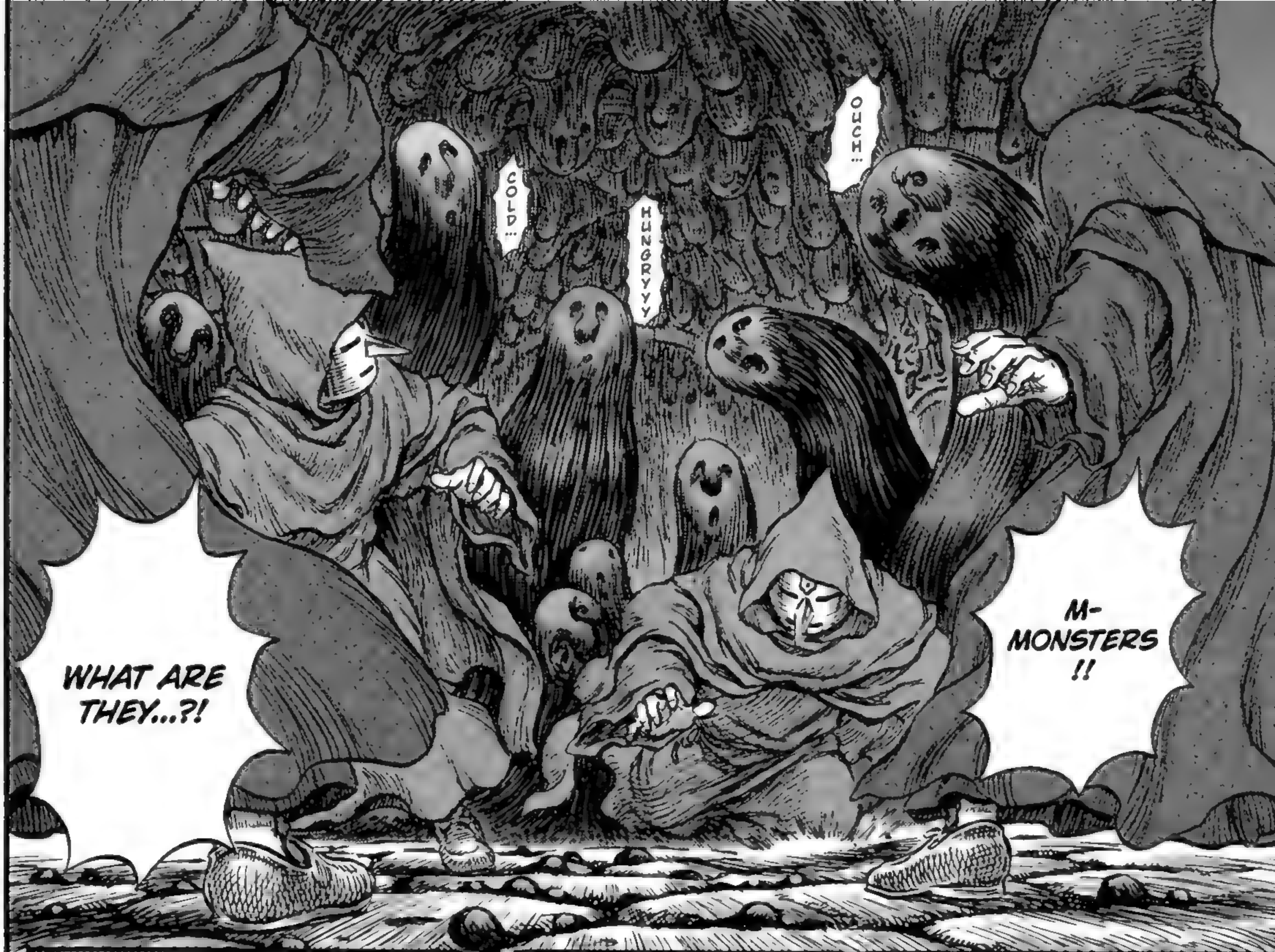


AGG
HH
HH

IGH!

*ZZMMMM





WHAT ARE
THEY...?!

M-
MONSTERS
!!



BULSSSSH

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ユ
ウ
ウ
...



*FX DOLP



*FX: TREMBLE



WHA-
-?!

TH-
THESE
THINGS
DEVOUR
PEOPLE!!



*FX: WAHHH WAHHH



QUICKLY,
LADY
FARNESE!!

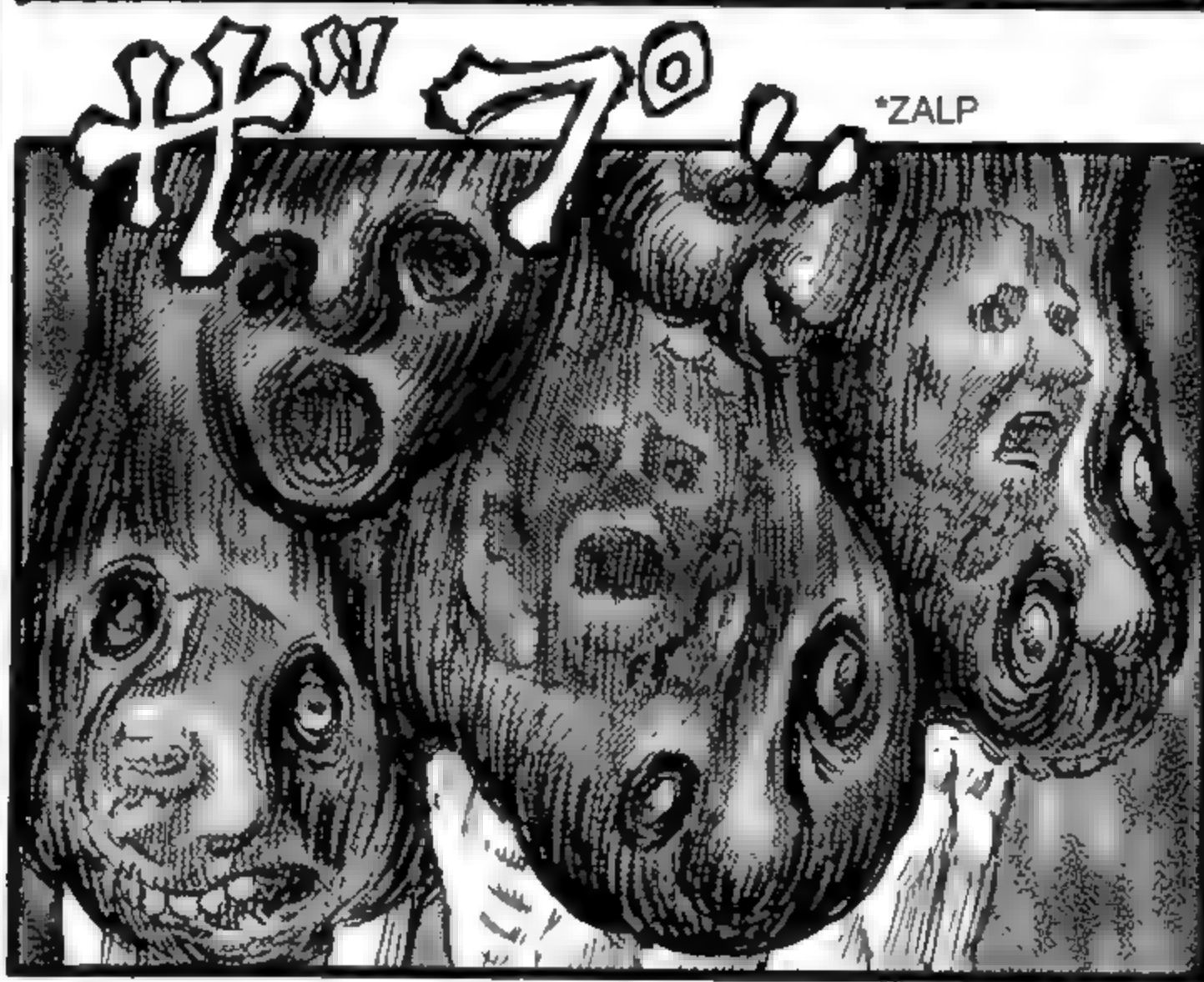
W-WAIT
...!!

DON'T
LEAVE
ME...!!



*FX: AIIIEE

W-
WAIT
!!



*ZALP



FATHER
MOZGUS
...!!





*BROMM

NO...!!

N...



WHAT
IN THE
WORLD IS
HAPPENING
?!

VICE-
COM-
MANDER.

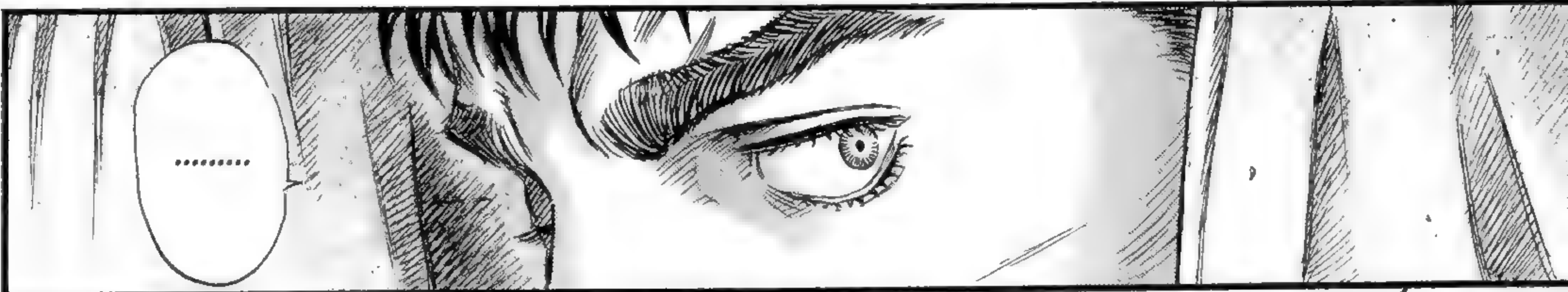
*FX: WAHHH WAHHH WAHHH



*FX: GCHAK



*FX: WAHHH WAHHH WAHHH

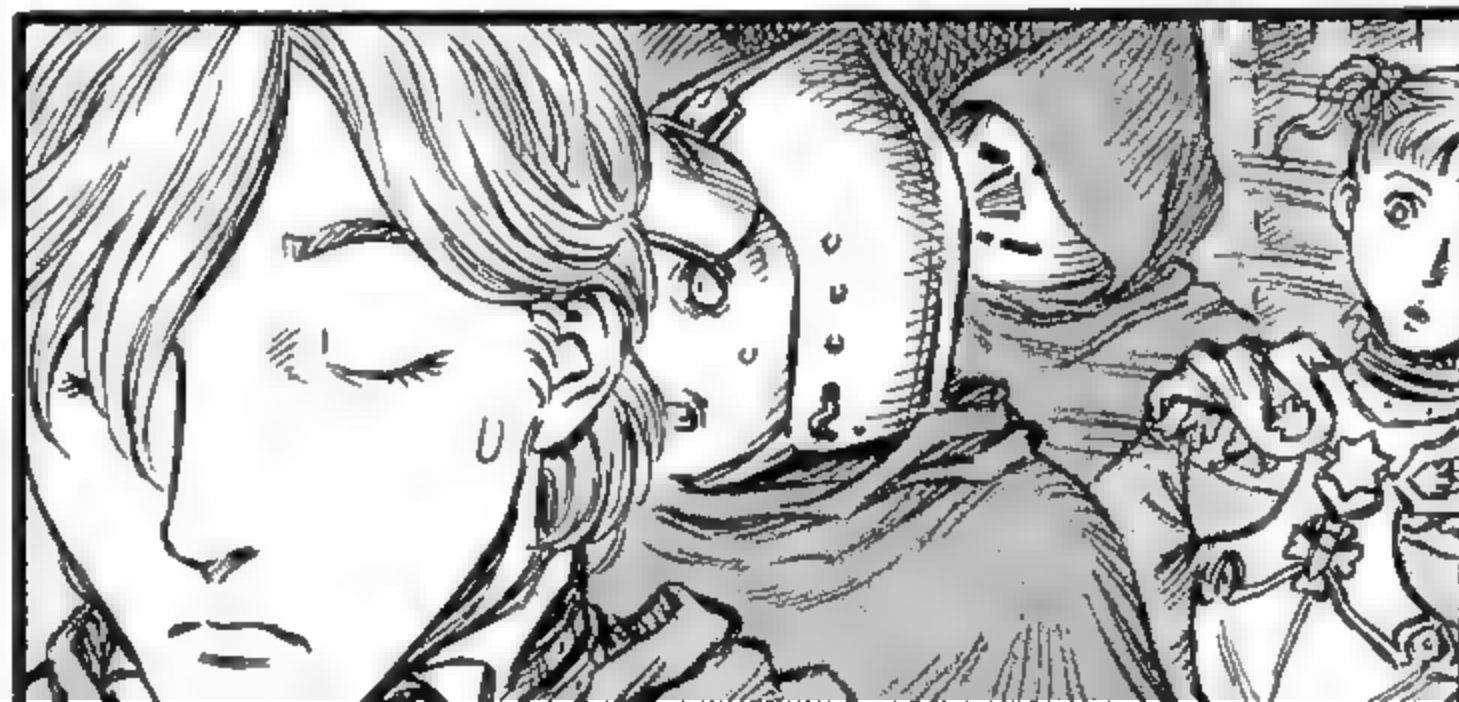


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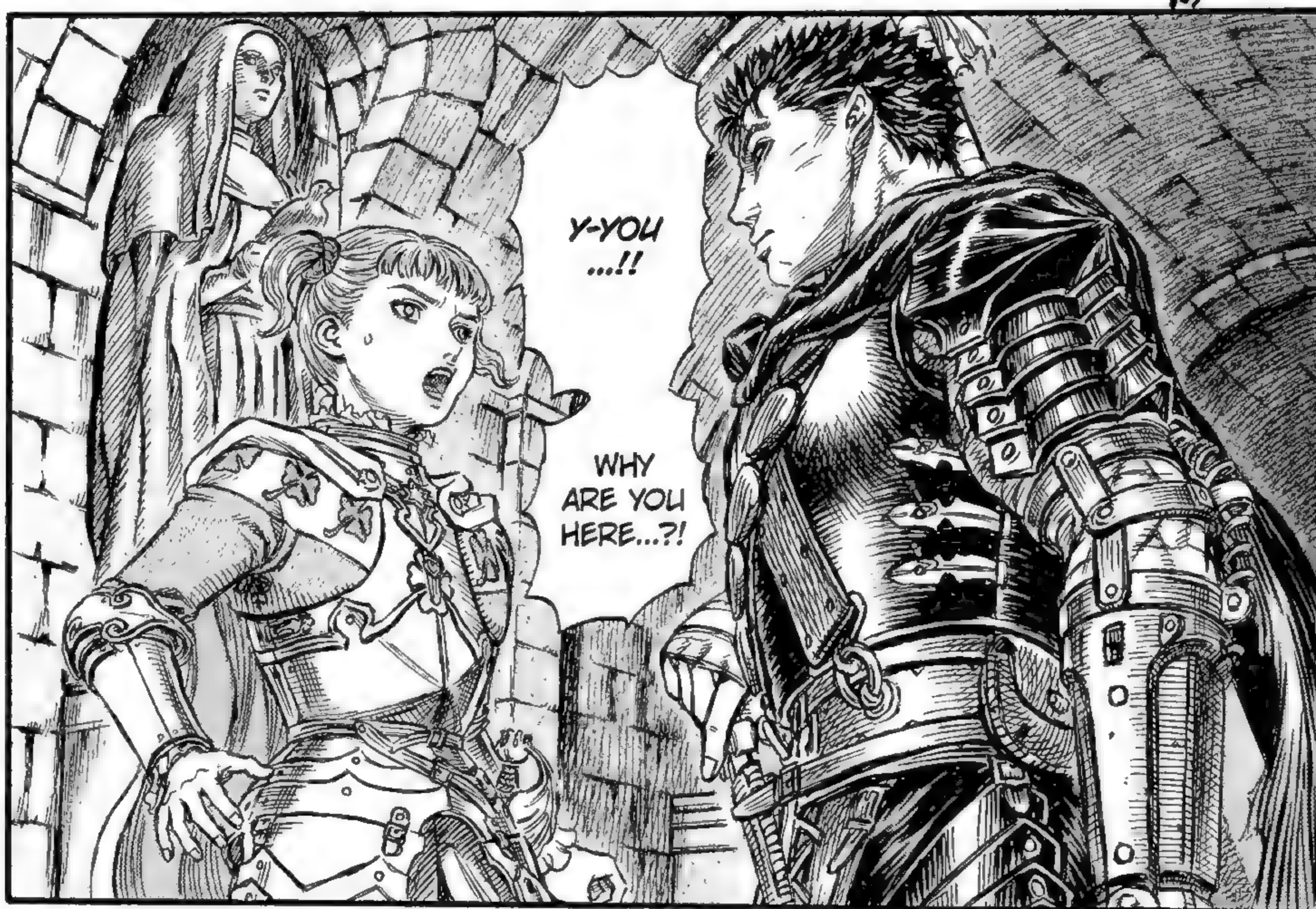
ANYWAY,
TO
HIGHER
GROUND!

I WILL
EXPLAIN
AFTER-
WARDS!





*FX: GASHANNNG



Y-YOU
...!!

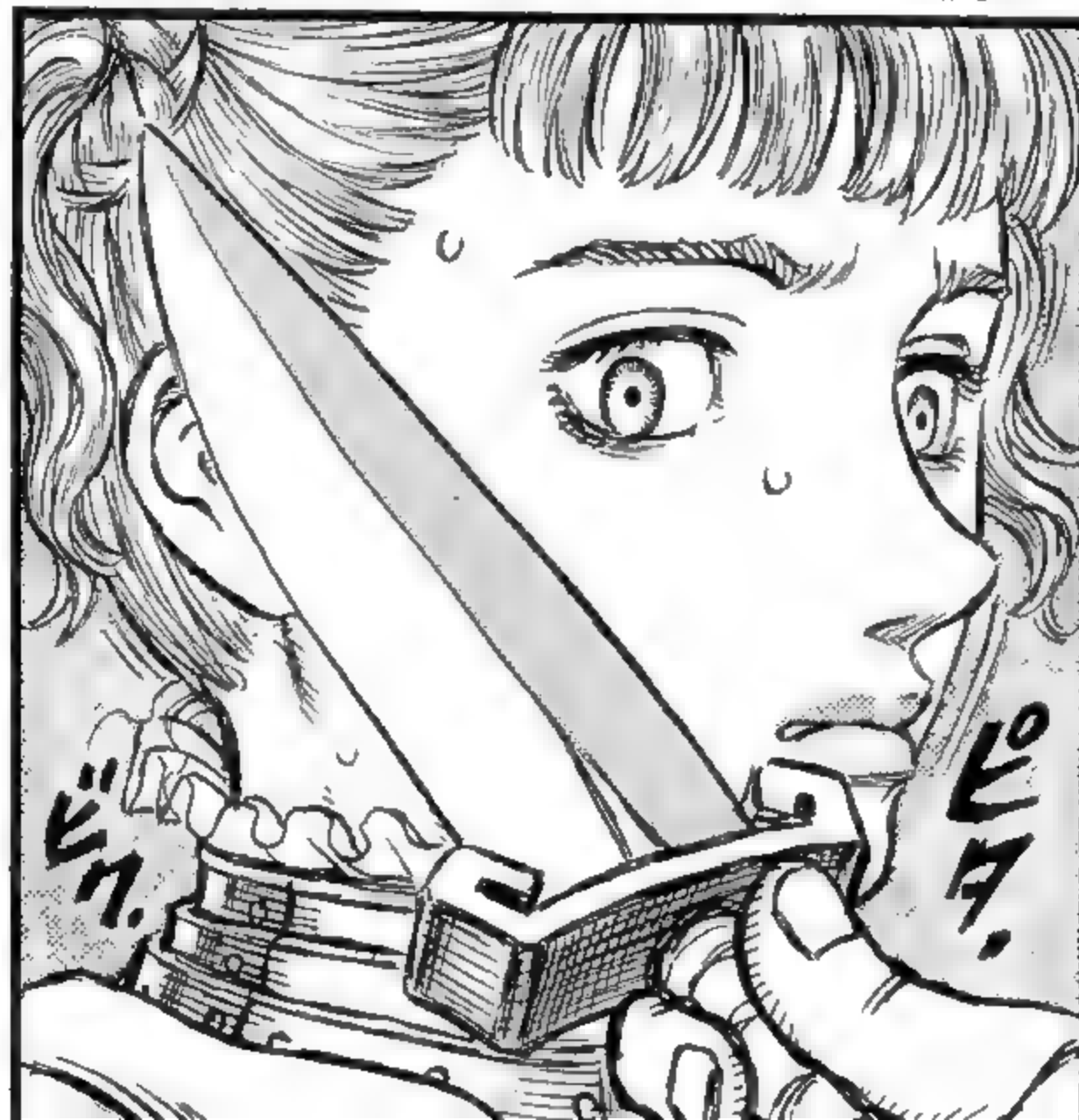
WHY
ARE YOU
HERE...?!



WHERE'S MY
COMPANION?

*FX: FLINCH

*FX: SWIP





ANSWER.

カチカチ
CLAK CLAK



COM-
PANION
...?

Y-YOU
MEAN
TH-THAT
WITCH?

SO
YOU ARE
FOLLOWING
HER...



カチ

*FX: CHOK



WHAT
?

I-IT'S
POINTLESS
TO GO
NOW...



DE
LIDDERGROUD
TORCHA
CHAMBA...

TORTURE
CHAMBER
...

*FX: AUU



...OVER...

...OVER-
FLOWING
WITH
THAT...

IT'S... TH-THE
BASEMENT
...



WOULD
YOU JUST
SAY IT?!

I-I DON'T
KNOW!!



THOSE
THINGS
CAN'T
EXIST...

IT
SHOULDN'T
EXIST...



N-NO!!

SHOW
ME.

THERE MUST
BE ANOTHER
WAY TO THE
TORTURE
CHAMBER,
RIGHT?

TCH!

...
...
!!

WHO'D
WANT GO
NEAR
THAT
AGAIN...?!

*FX: CRASH

*FX WAHHH WAHHH WAHHH



*FX: CRUMBLE CRUMBLE

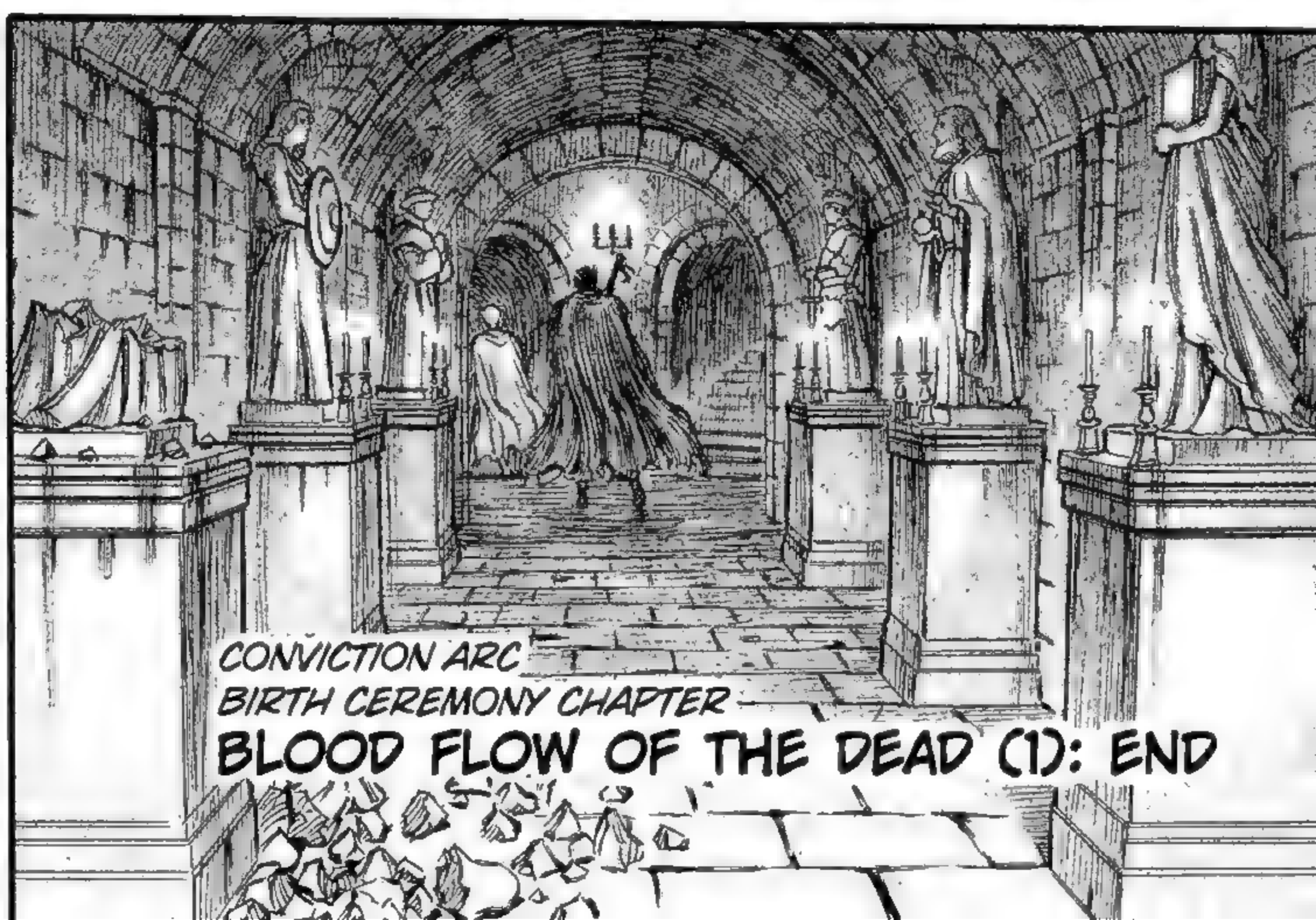


I'M
ABOUT TO
BREAK.

SORRY,
BUT MOVE
YOUR ASS.



.....



CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
BLOOD FLOW OF THE DEAD (1): END

I'M NO
GOOD...

I REALLY
AM A
NO-GOOD
PERSON.

I COULDN'T
BEAR THE
NAIL ON ONE
FINGER.

ONE MORE
NIGHT...

...THEN...

断罪篇 生誕祭の章 亡者の血流②

00...

00...

CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
BLOOD FLOW OF THE DEAD
PART 2

THANKS
TO ME,
RIGHT NOW
ELAINE IS...

...EVEN AT
A TIME
LIKE
THIS...

YET
STILL...

...I'M ONLY
WORRIED
ABOUT
MYSELF.



HUH?

GET
GET OUT!
OUUUT
!

*FX: WAHHH WAHHH



UP! ESCAPE
UPWARDS!

HURRY,
IT'S
ALREADY
COMING!

JUST
LEAVE
THEM!

THE
PRISO-
NERS
?

*FX: WAHHH WAHHH



WHAT
...?

I
DON'T
WANT
TO DIE...

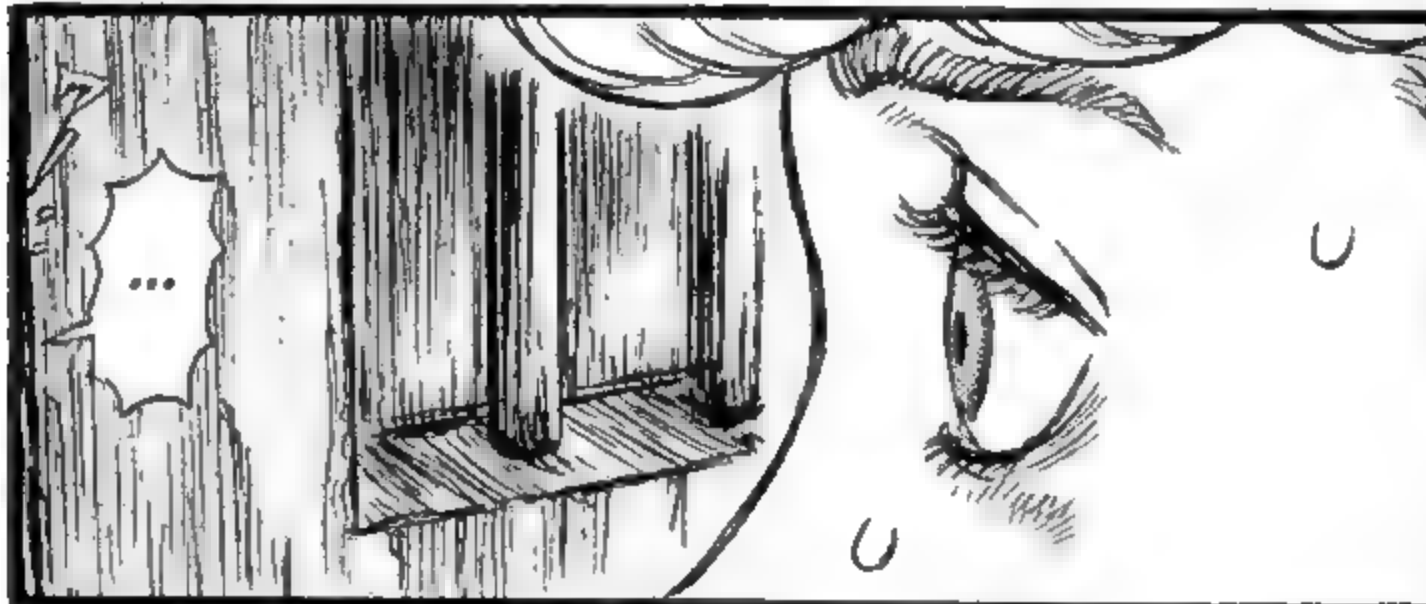
...IT
HURTS.





*FX: WAHHH WAHHH

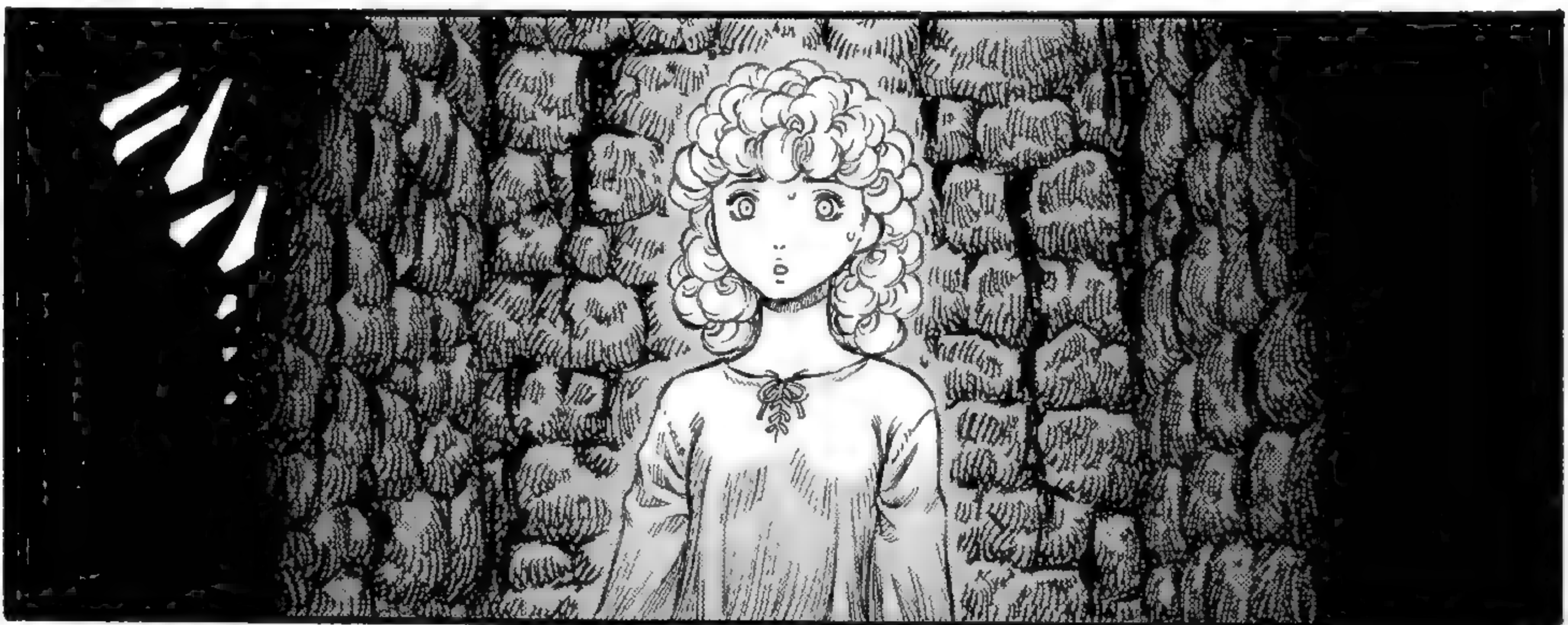
*FX: WAHHH



*FX: (silence)



*FX: WHAM WHAM

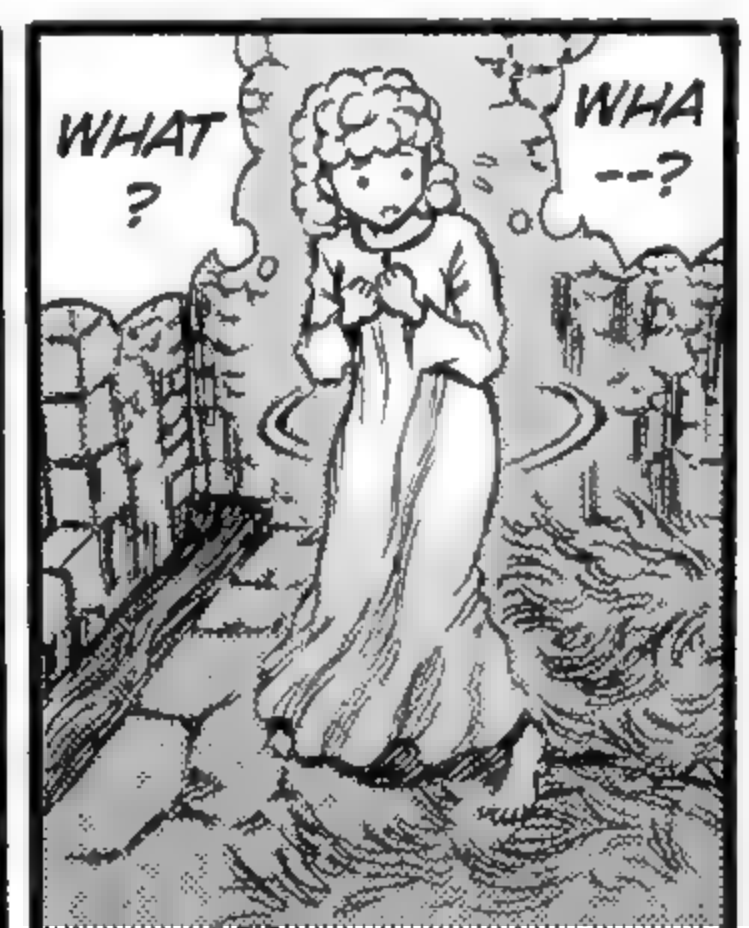


*FX: ZHFF ZHFF ZZZZ

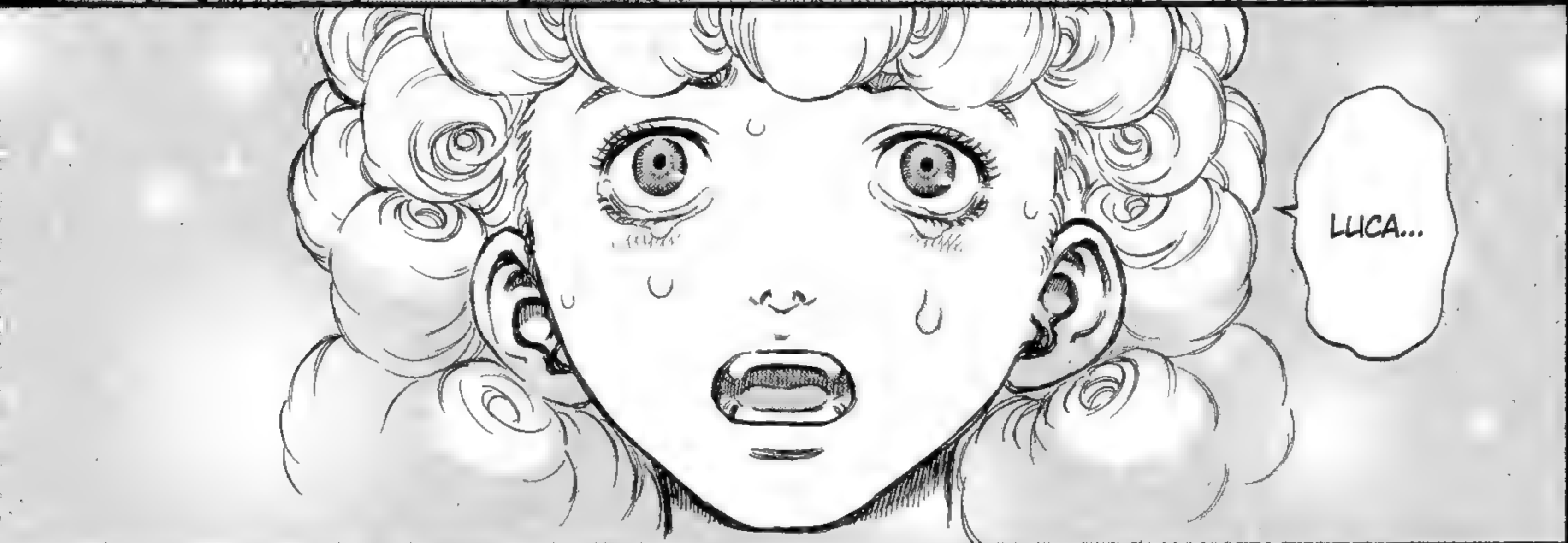
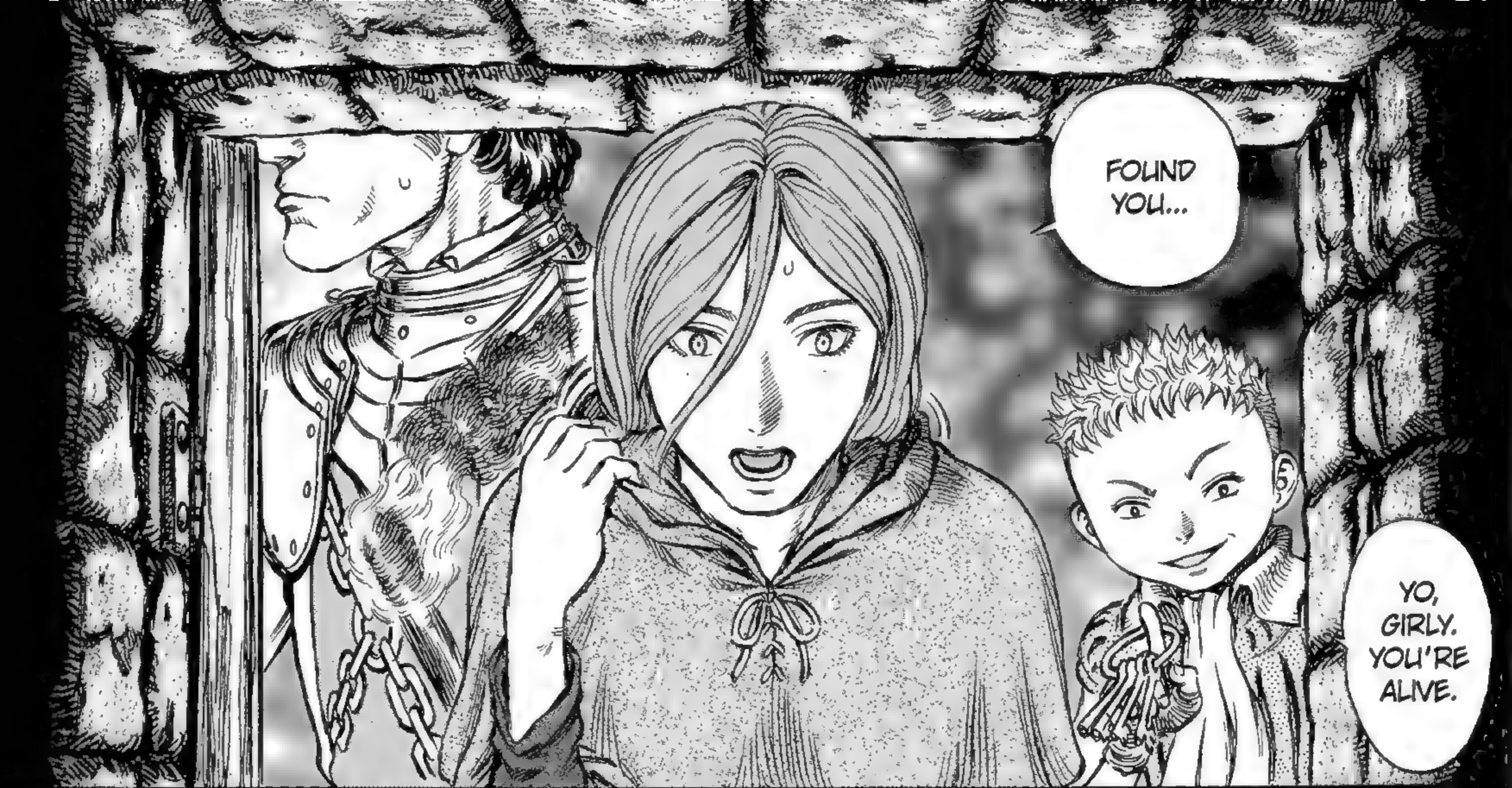
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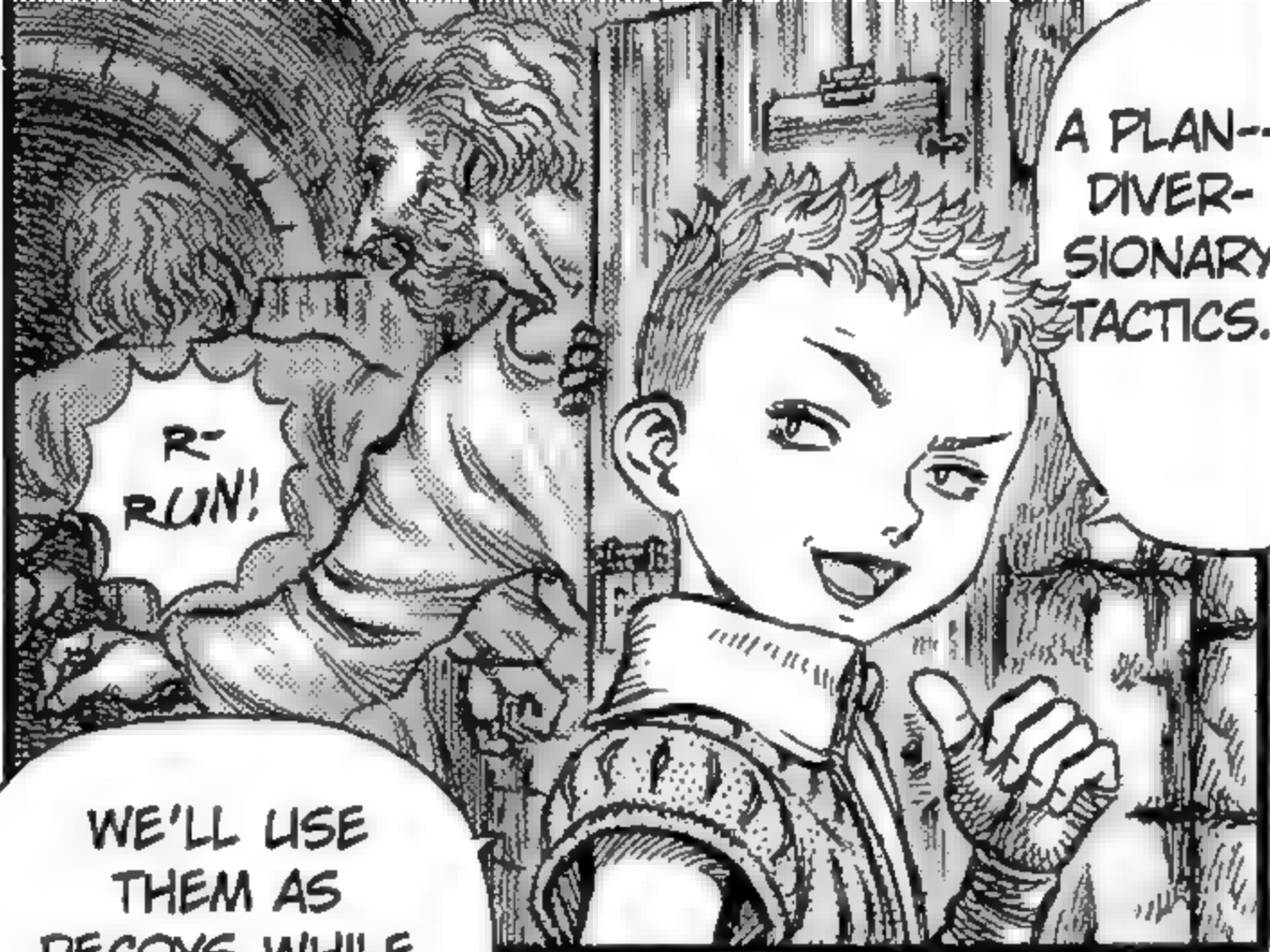


*FX: ZZZZ









R-
RUN!

A PLAN--
DIVER-
SIONARY
TACTICS.

WE'LL USE
THEM AS
DECOYS WHILE
WE ESCAPE.



...I MIGHT
NOT LOOK
THE PART,
BUT I **AM**
A HERETIC
HUNTER.

YOU
KNOW
...



OPEN
UP!!

*GOHAK

LET
ME
OUT
...

HEY!
WHAT'RE
YOU
DOING?!

WELL,
THANKS TO
THAT WE
WERE ABLE
TO GET
THIS FAR...



DAMN
KID...

IF YOU TURN
ON US, I'LL
TELL 'EM ALL
SORTS OF
STUFF ABOUT
YOU.



SAY WHAT?
YOU'RE AN
ACCOMPLICE
NOW, MAN.



IT'S A ROTTEN
DUTY ANYWAY.
NOW MY MIND'S
MADE UP.

BUT,
OH WELL...



...I'VE REALLY
LOST MY
EDGE.

*WAHHH

LOOKS
LIKE...

*FX: WAHHH

I'M SORRY TO
WRAP YOU UP IN
THIS, JEROME.

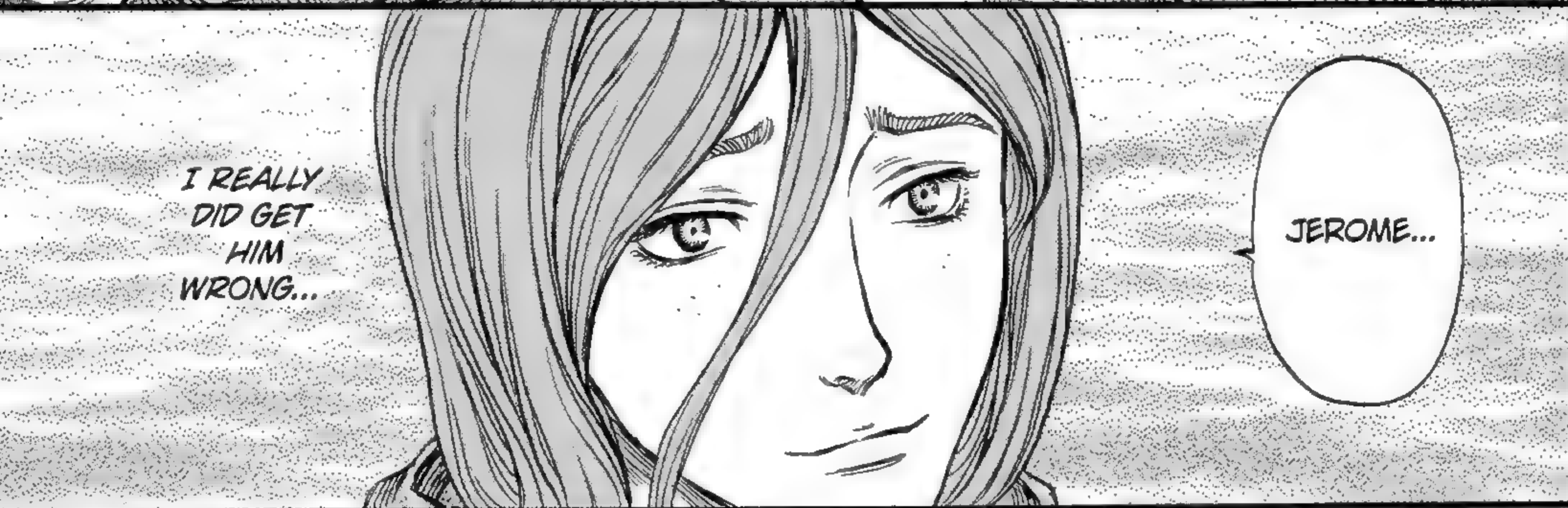
GO
NUTS.

*WAHHH



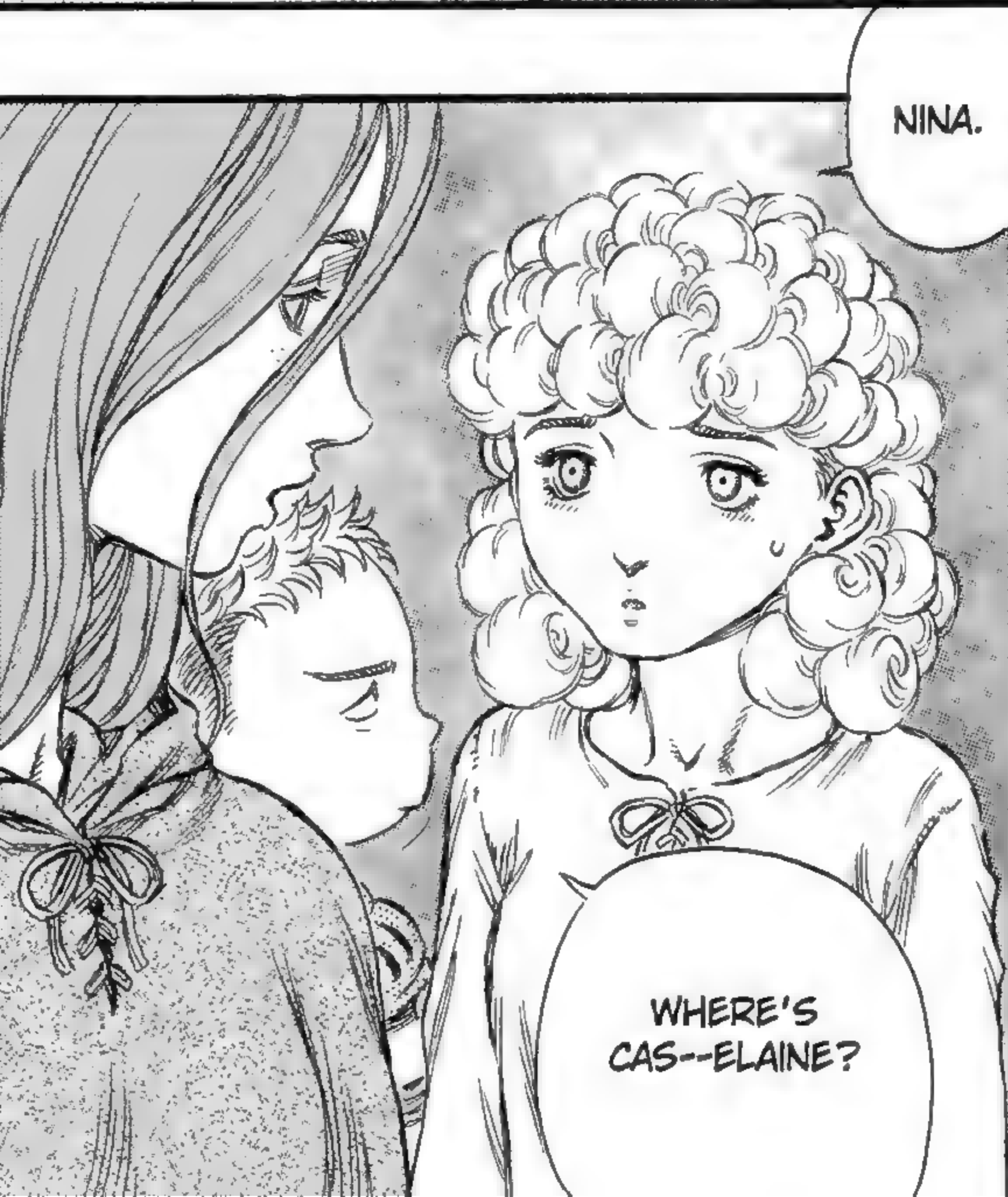
MAYBE GOING
WRONG FOR
THE SAKE OF
A WOMAN...

...IS MORE IN
CHARACTER
FOR A
LIBERTINE
LIKE ME.



I REALLY
DID GET
HIM
WRONG...

JEROME...



NINA.

WAIT A
MINUTE.

ALL RIGHT!
THAT SAID, IT'S
GOODBYE TO
ALBION.



SHE'S MY
MONEY RIDER.

YEAH,
YEAH.

I'M SORRY,
BUT THERE'S
ONE MORE.

*FX: FLINCH

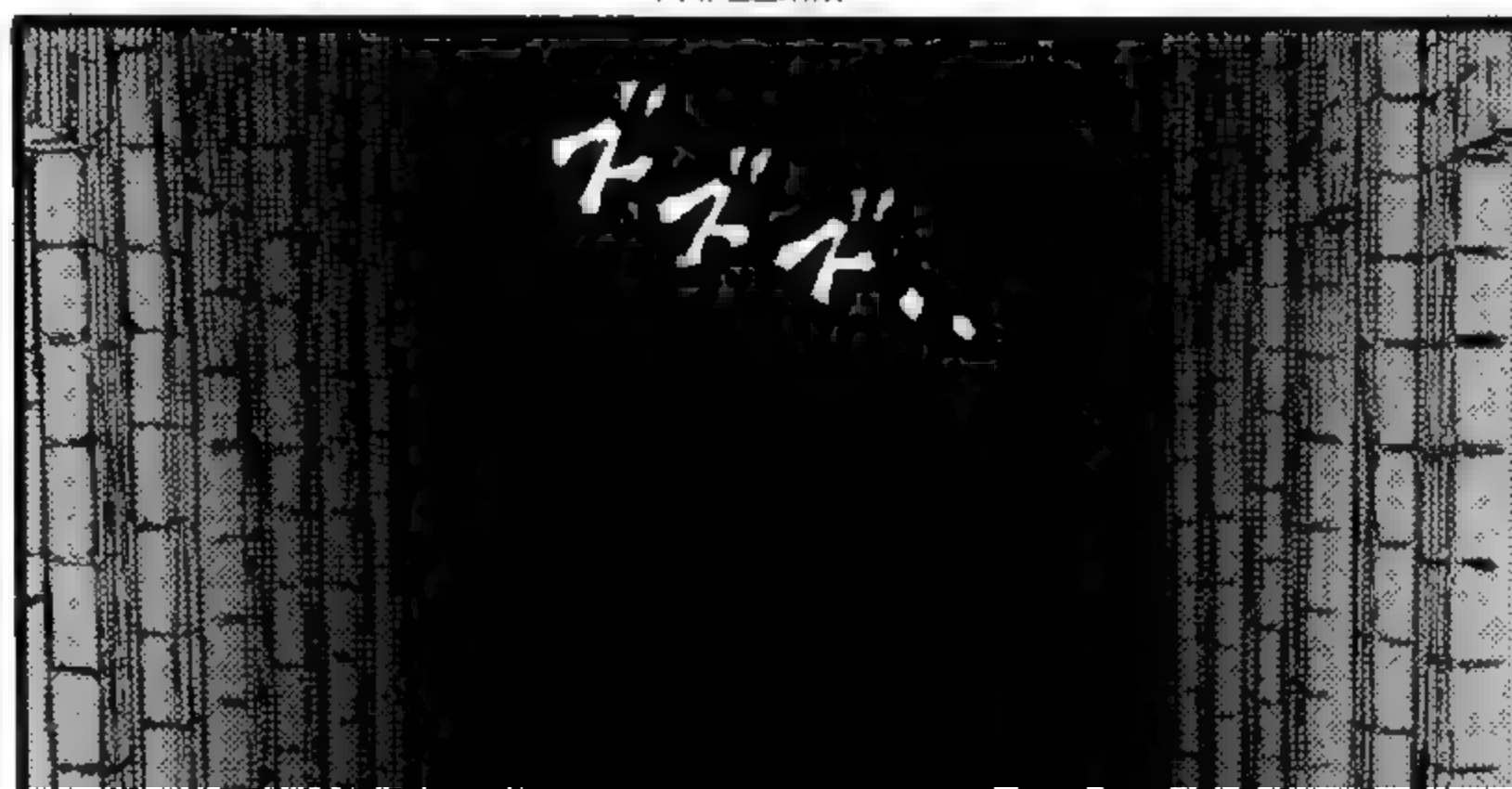
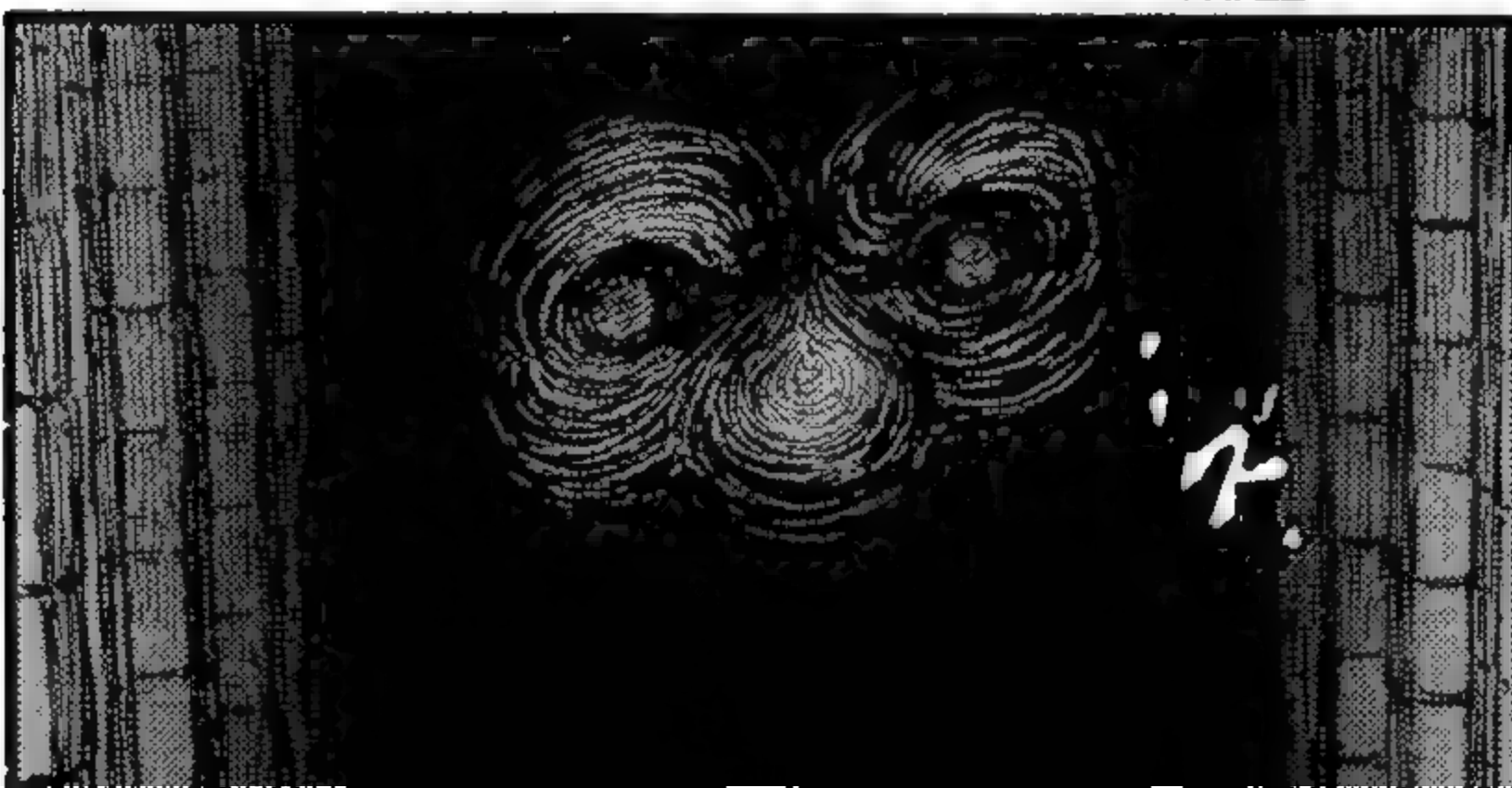
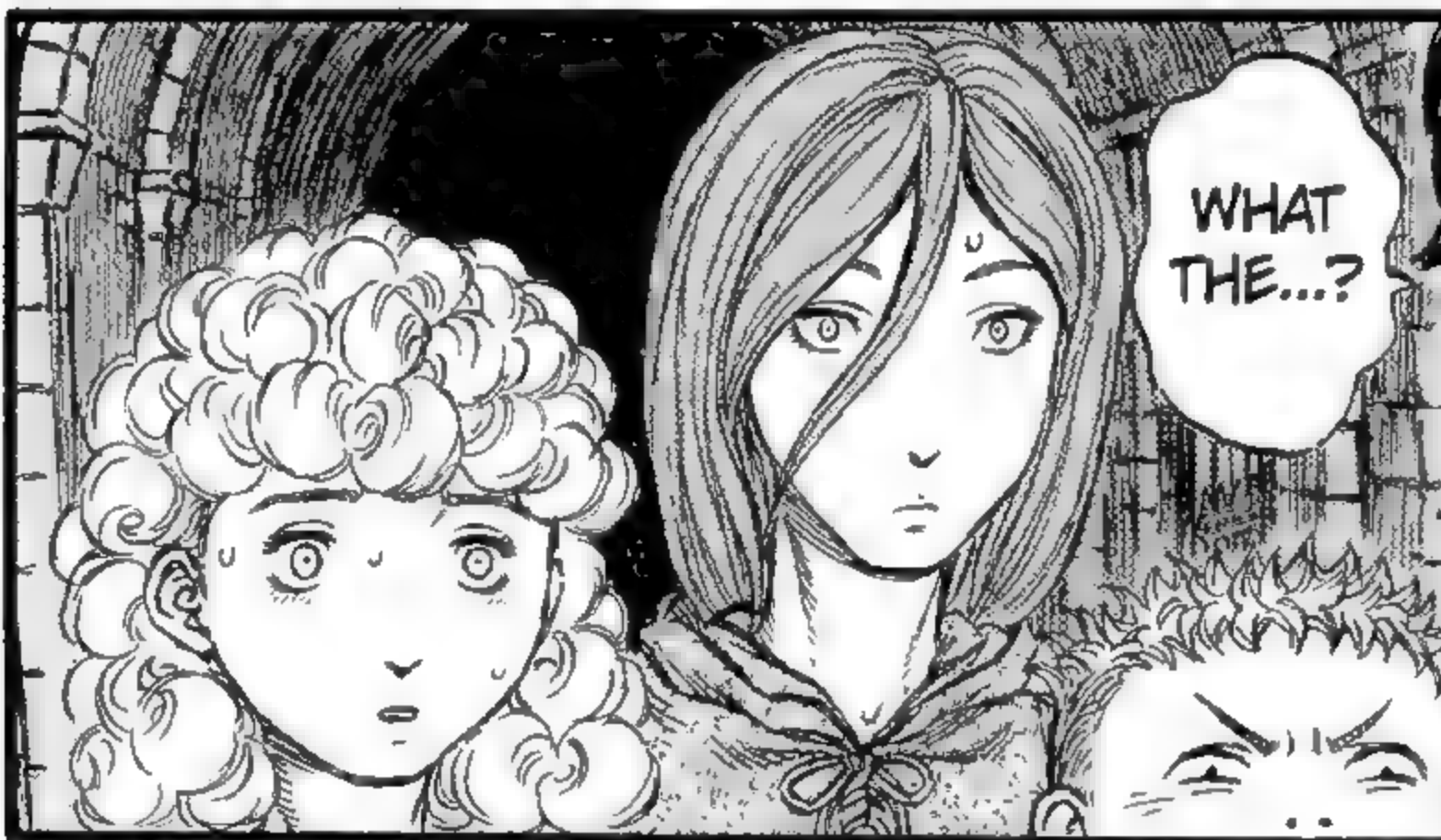
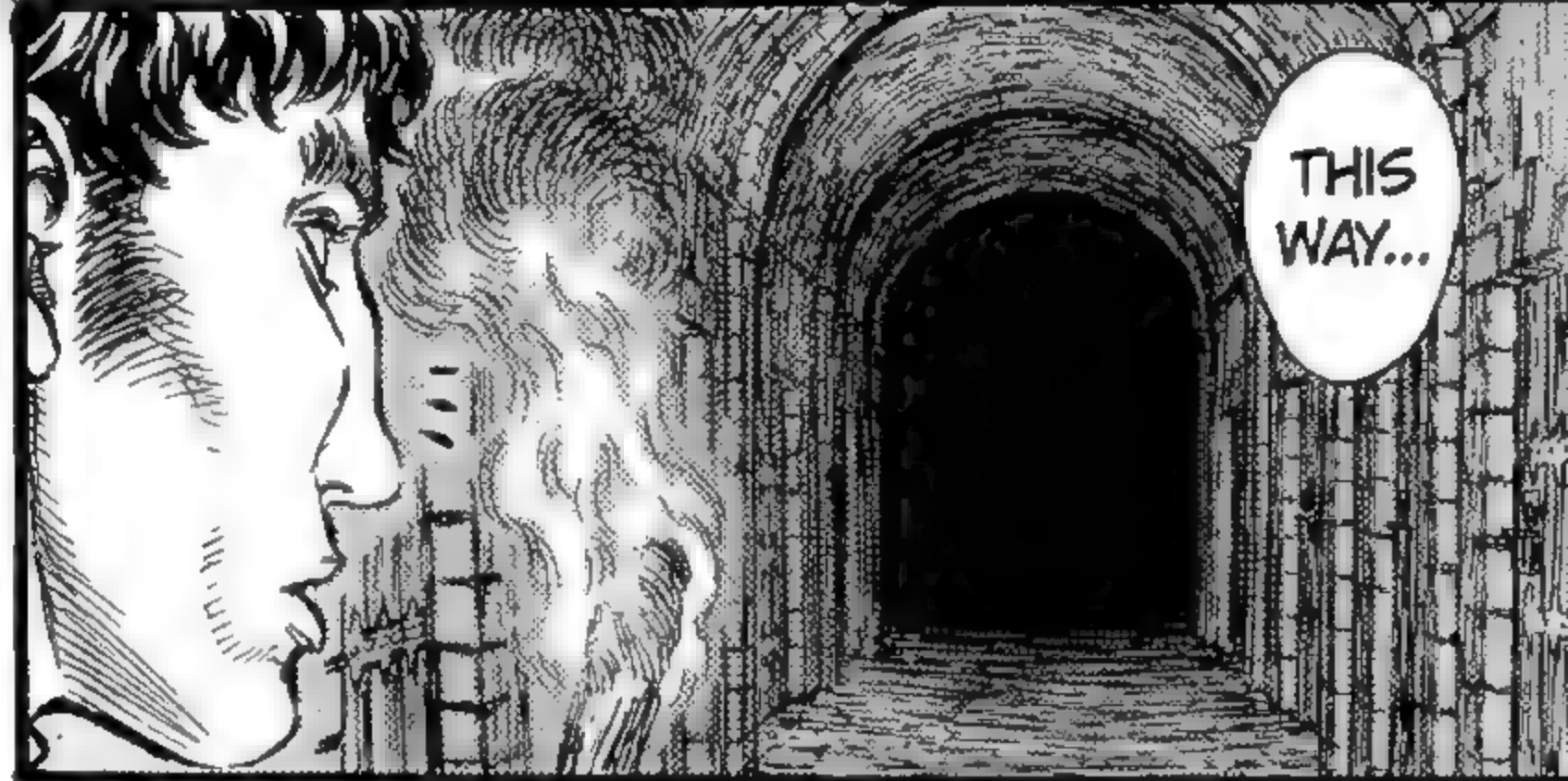
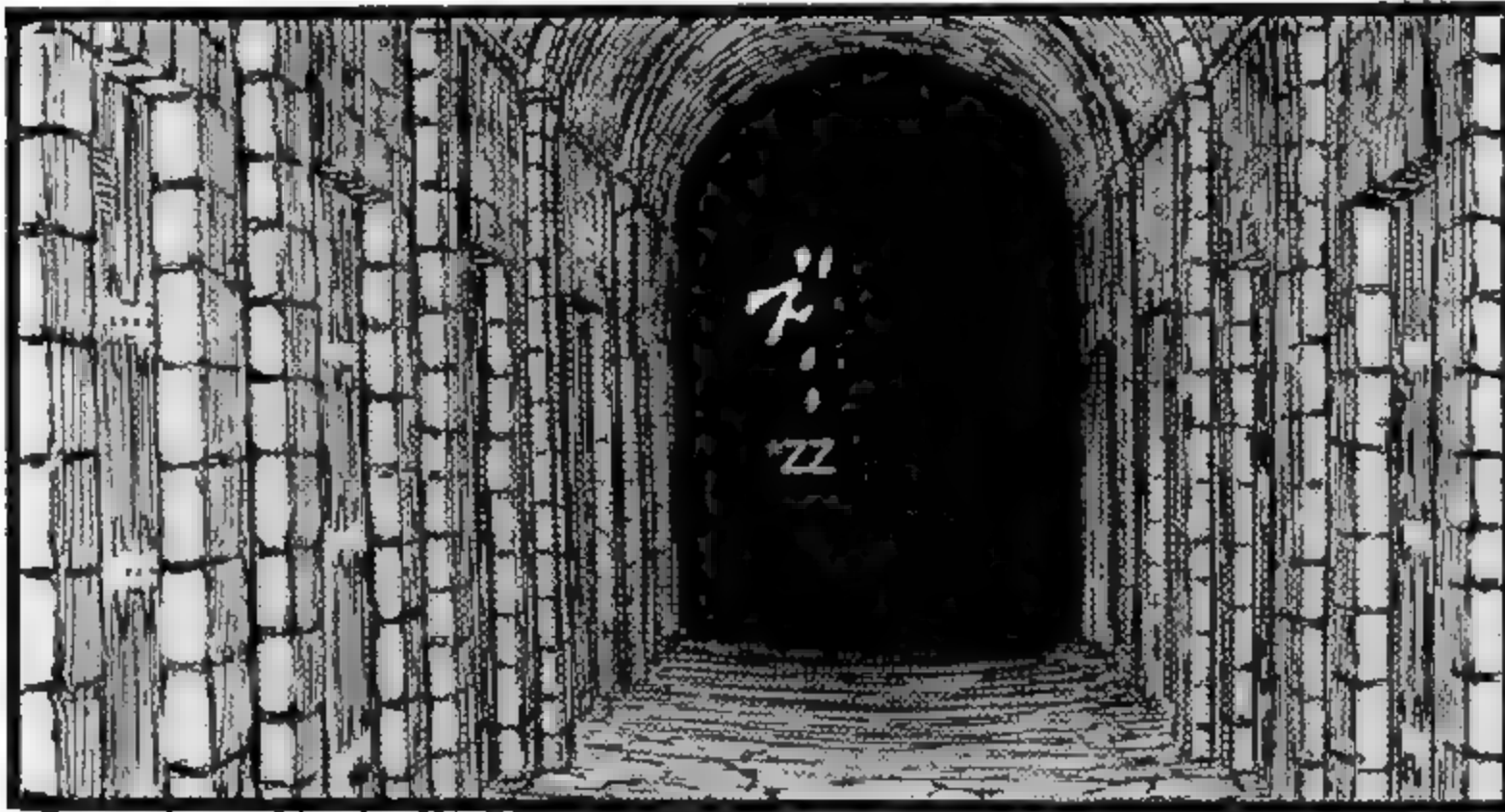
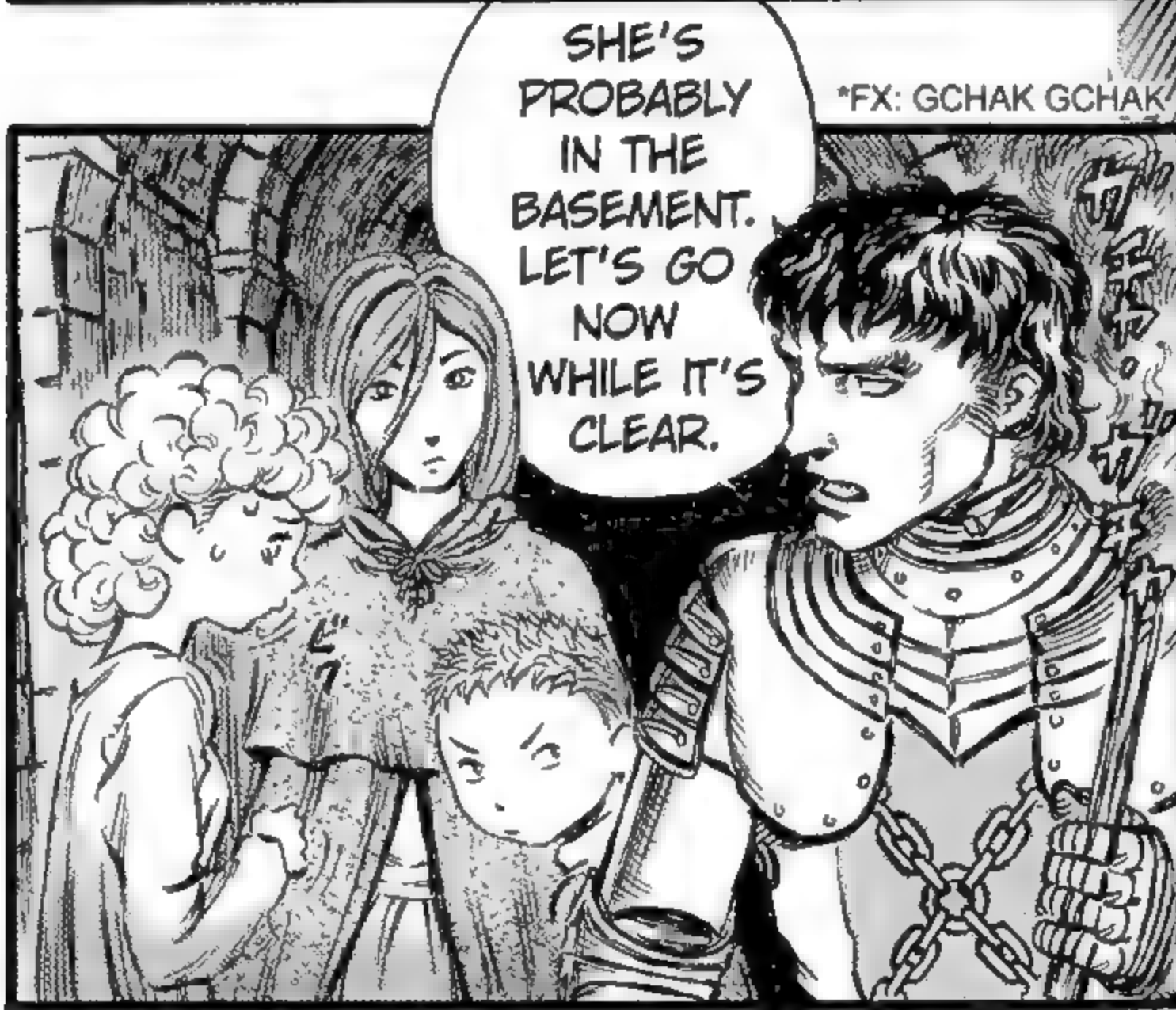


WHERE'S
CAS--ELAINE?



...BUT RIGHT
NOW THE
BASEMENT'S...

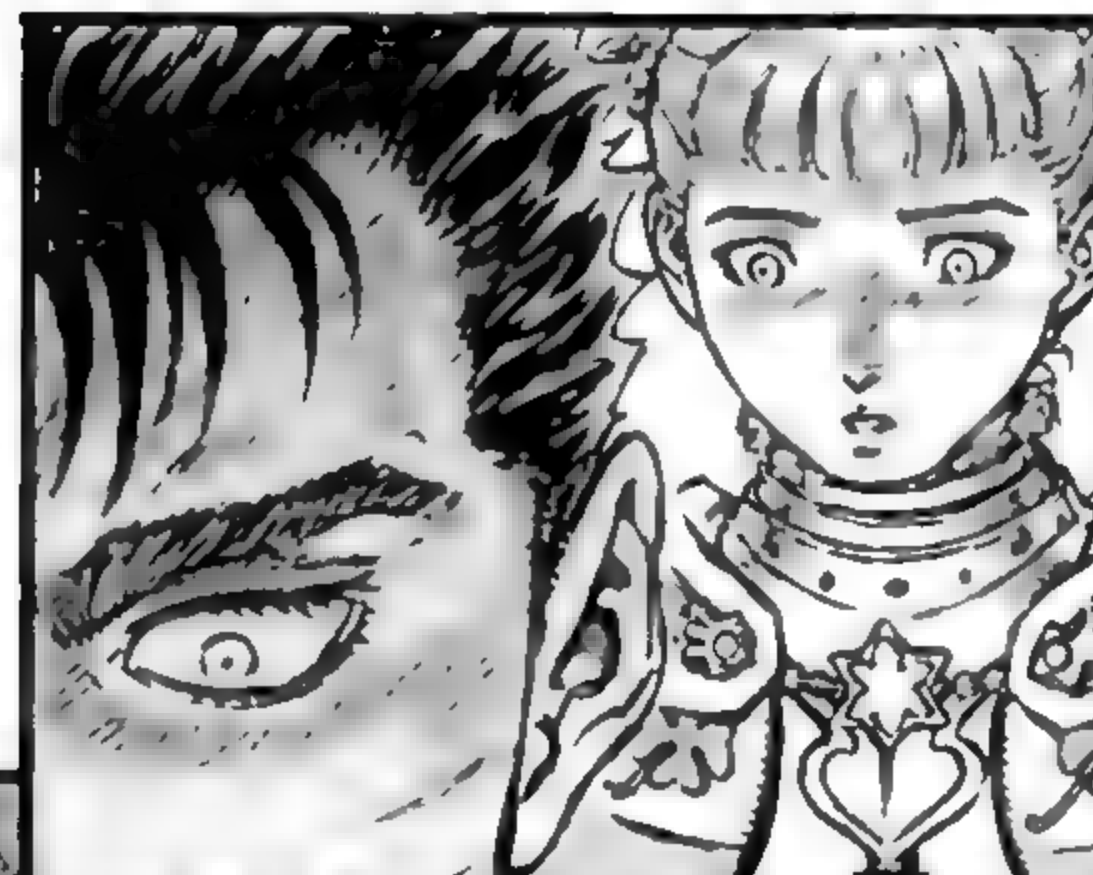
ELAINE'S
IN THE
TORTURE
CHAMBER...







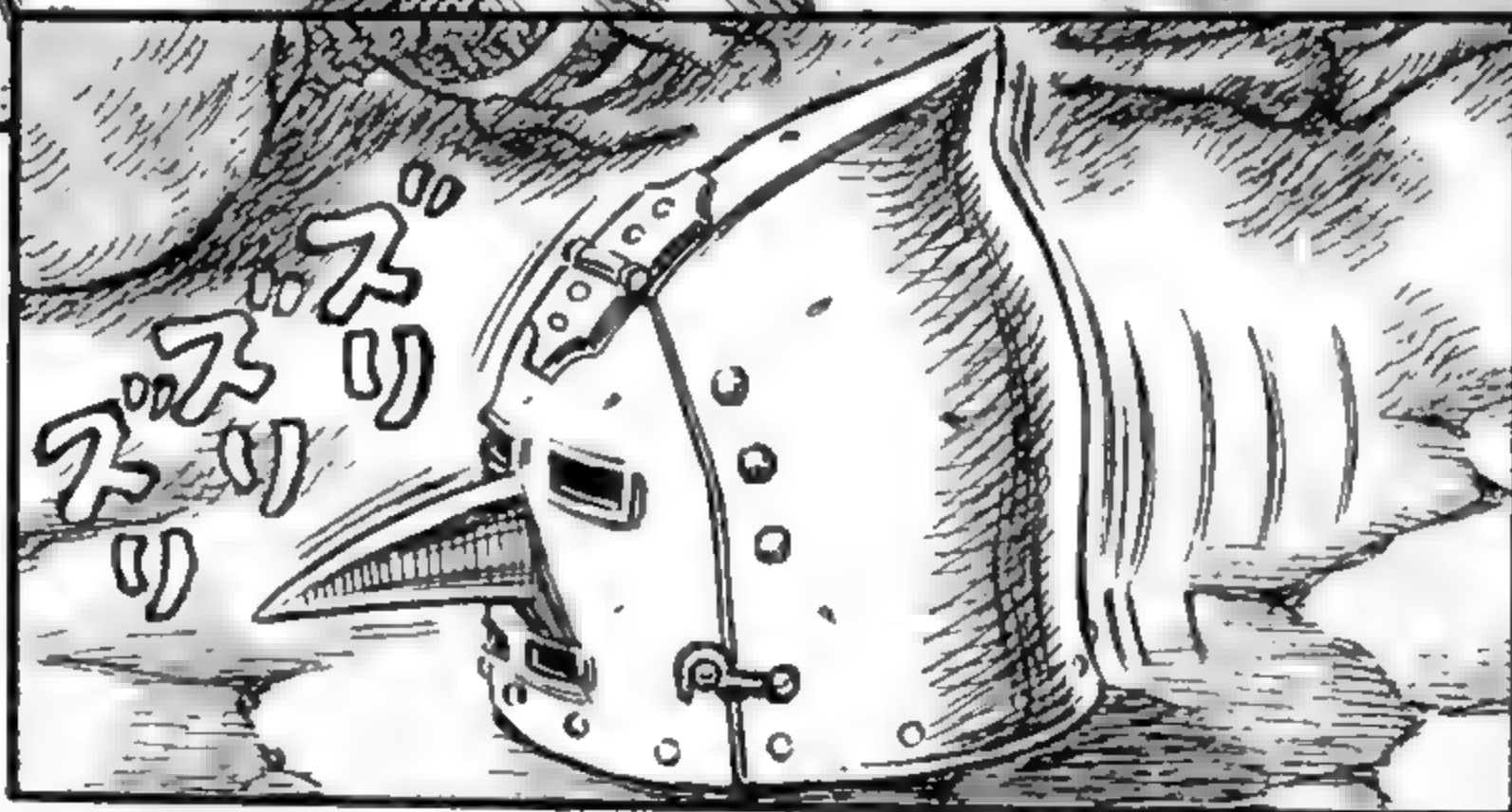
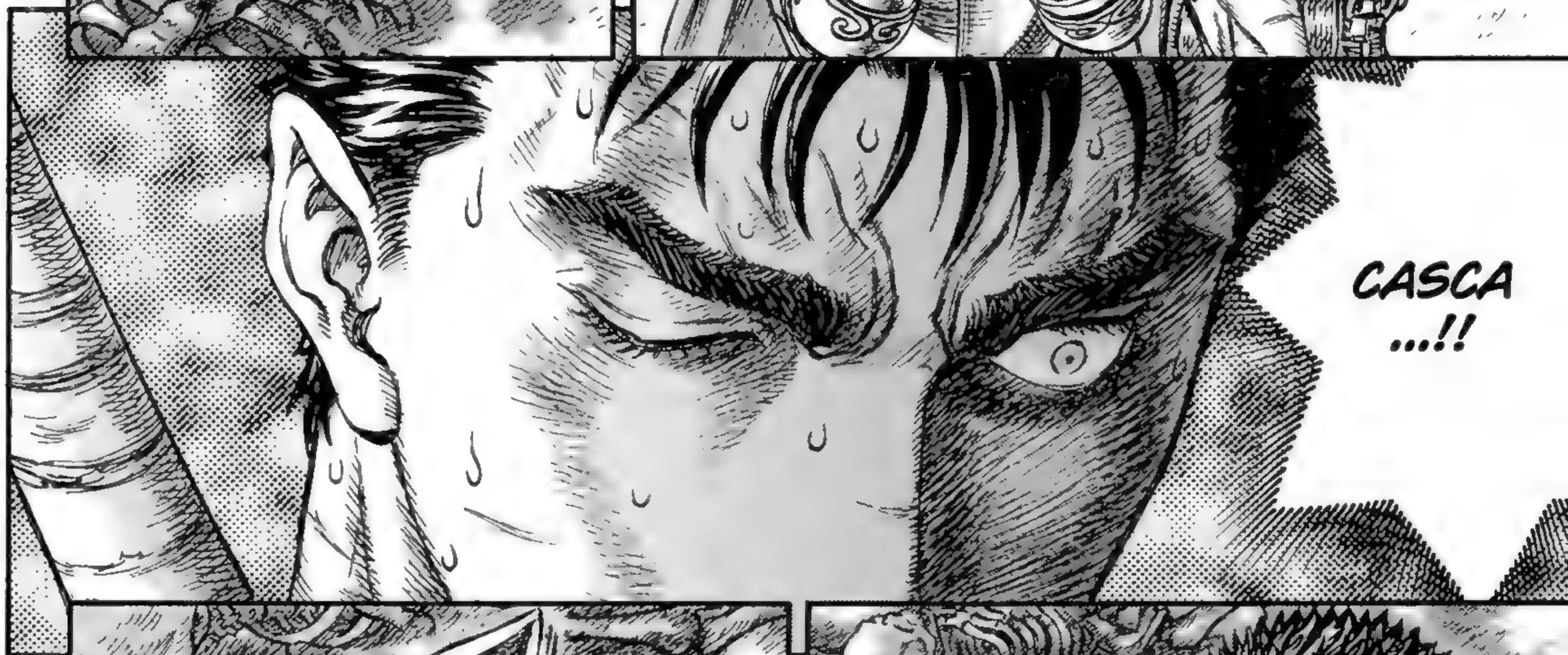
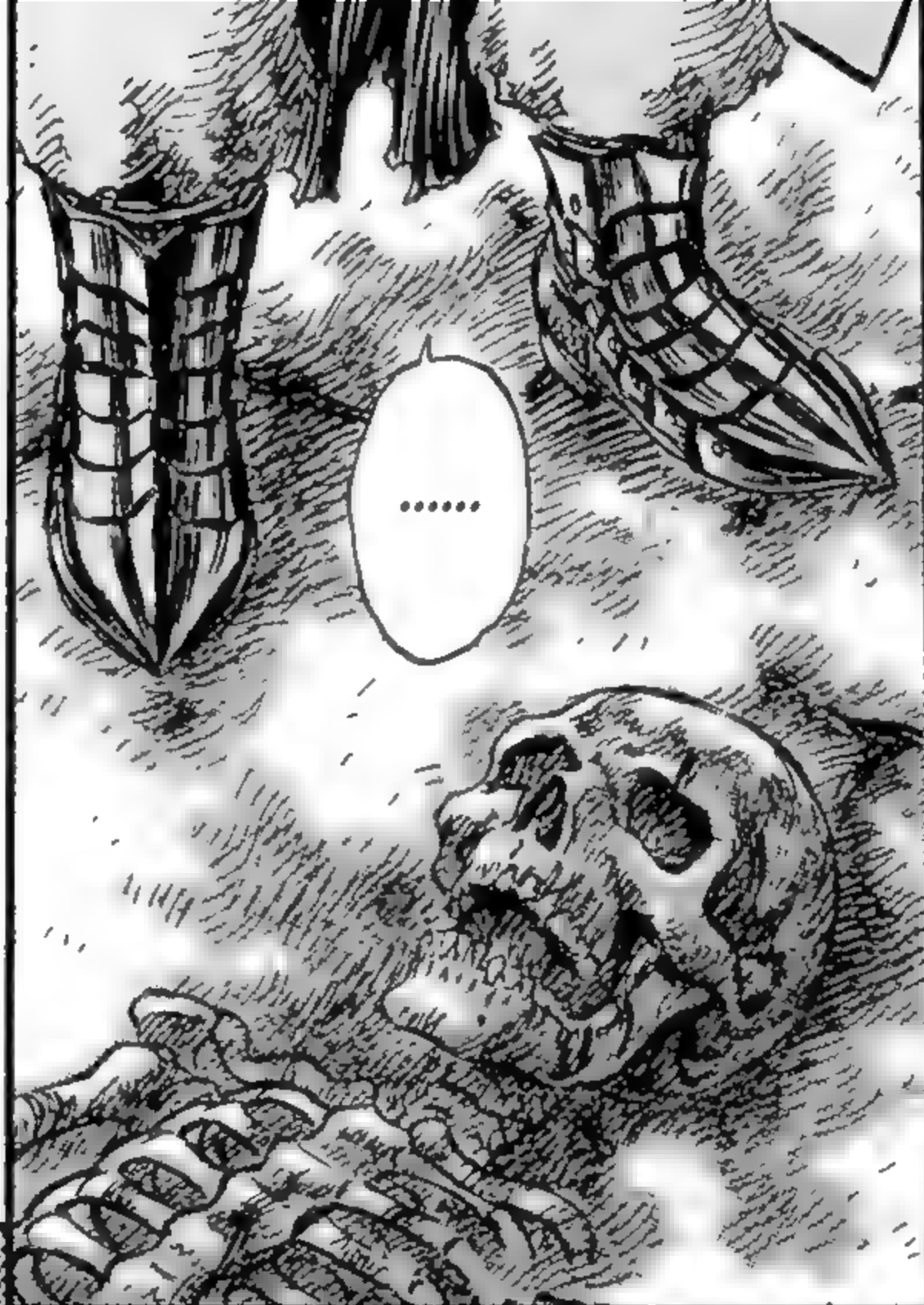
*FX: SNAKT



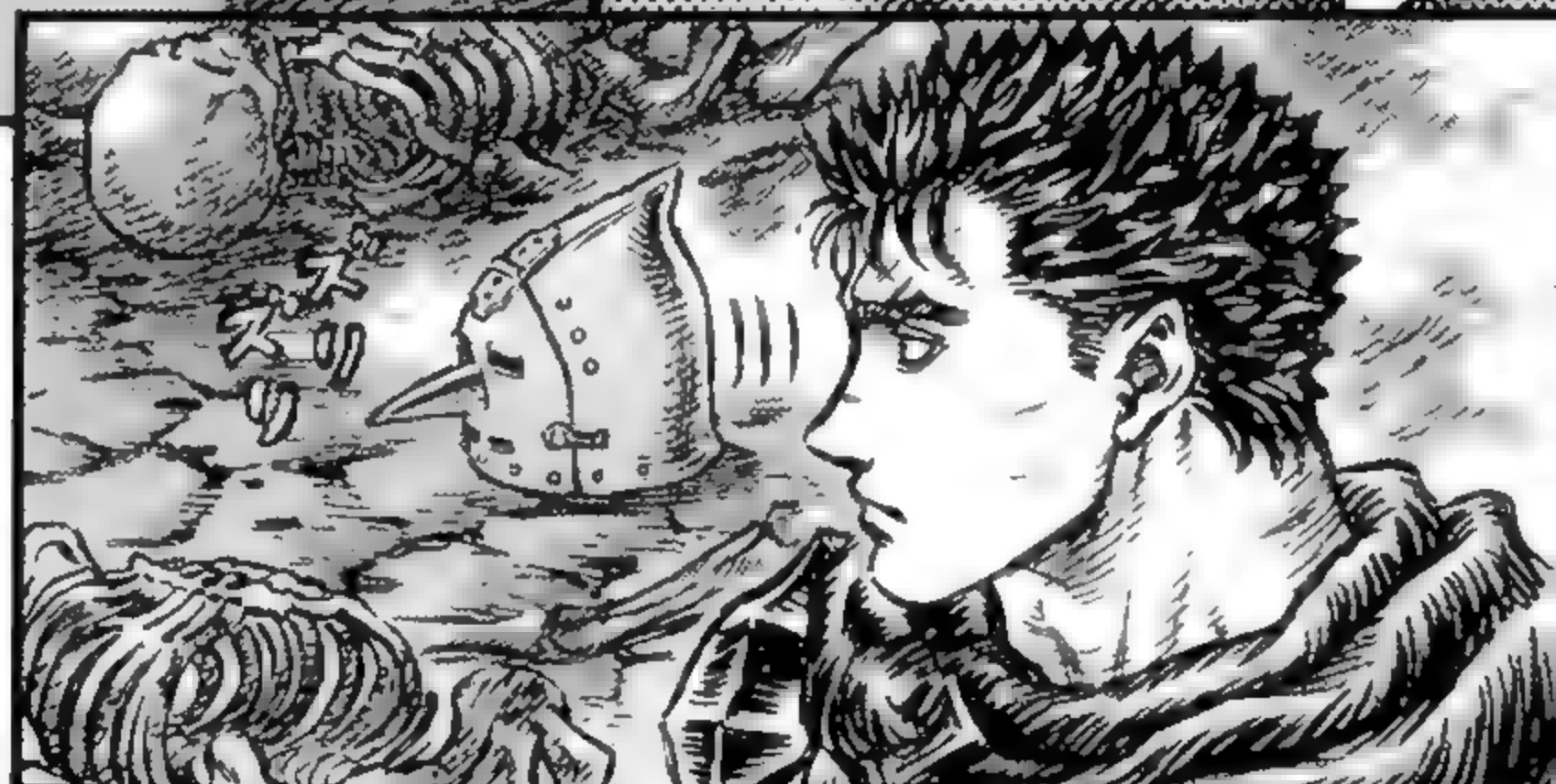
*FX: WHANG

*FX: HNNNNNN



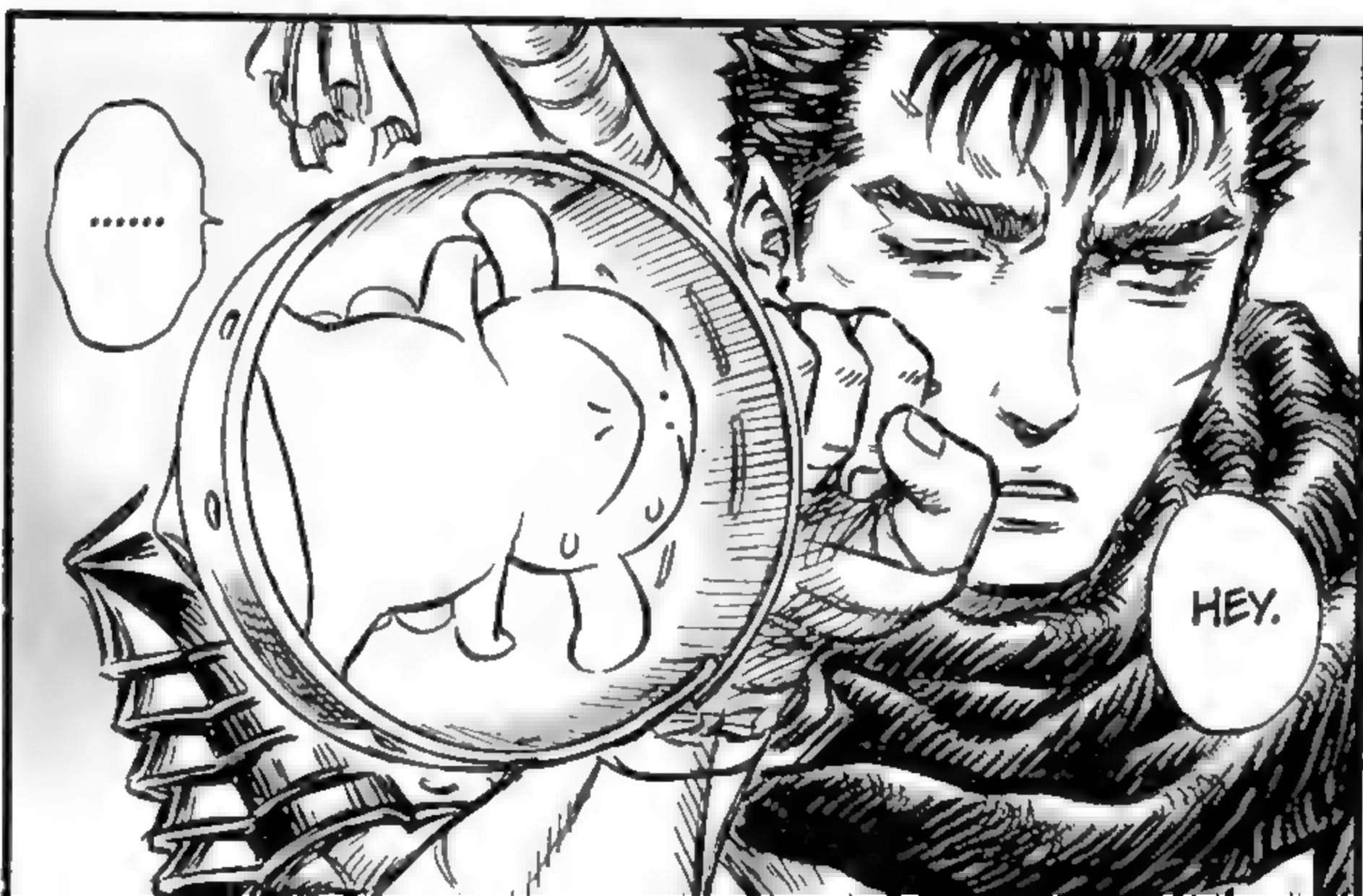


*FX: SHNK SHNK



*FX: SHNK SHNK

*FX: TUNK





BUT THEN
THEY
SHOWED
UP AND
DYED THE
WHOLE
ROOM...

I SNUICK
IN HERE
SO I
COULD
RESCUE
CASCA.

WHAT'RE
YOU
DOING?

DONNIN'
HEAVY
ARMOR TO
MOW DOWN
THE ENEMY...



WHAT
ABOUT
HER...

WHAT
ABOUT
CASCA?!

CAS...



...BUT
CASCA
WASN'T!

AND
THOUGH
SHE WAS
SWALLOWED,
HER
PRESENCE
NEVER
VANISHED.

AH, BUT
SOME-
THIN'S
WEIRD!

THE
OTHER
HUMANS
WERE
INSTANTLY
DIS-
SOLVED...

...
SWALLOWED
UP BY
THEM.

CASCA
WAS...

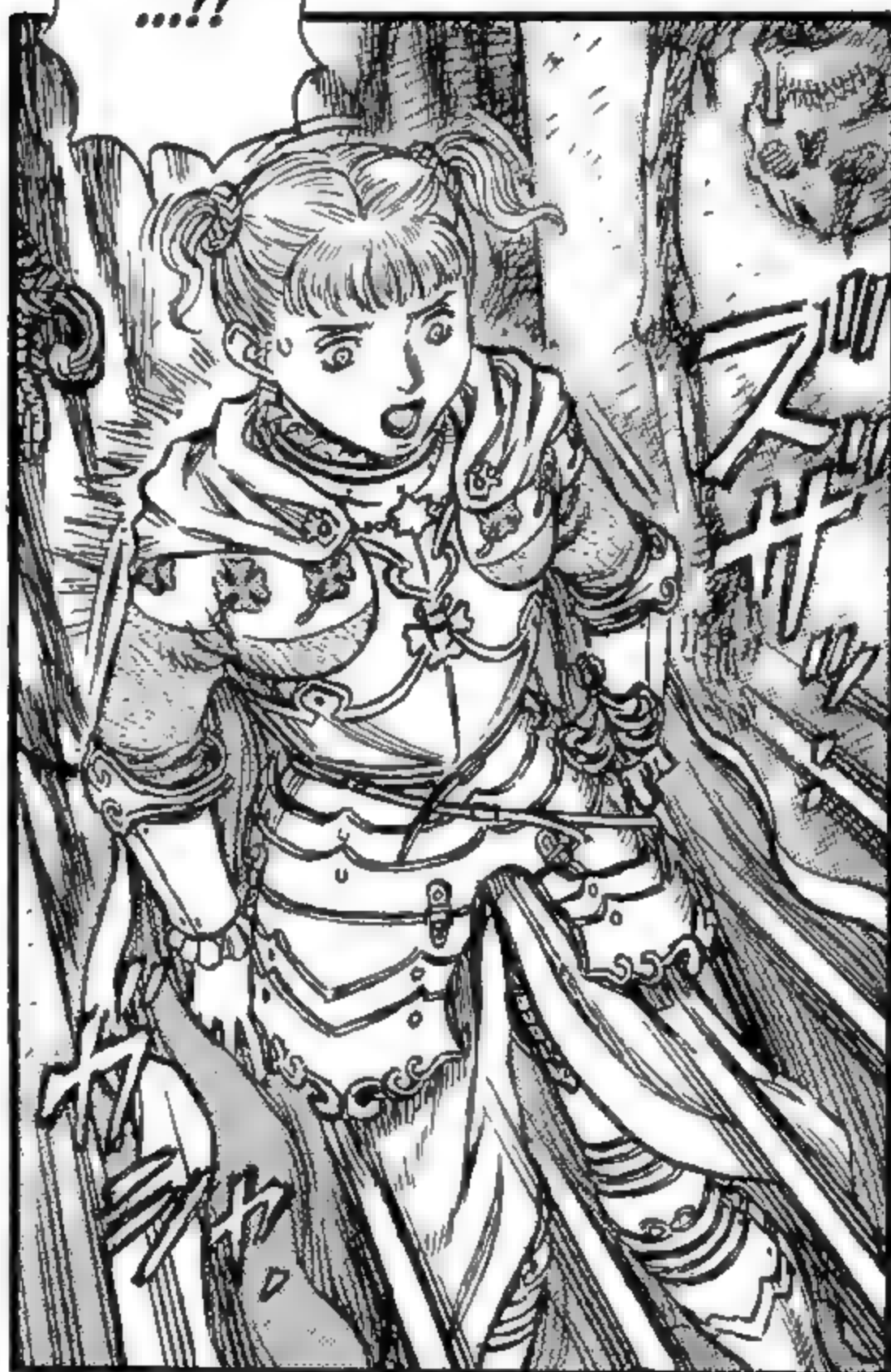


WHAT IS
THIS GUY
DOING...?
MUMBLED TO
HIMSELF...

SHE'S
SAFE,
PROBABLY
UH-UH,
DEFI-
NITELY!!

...!!

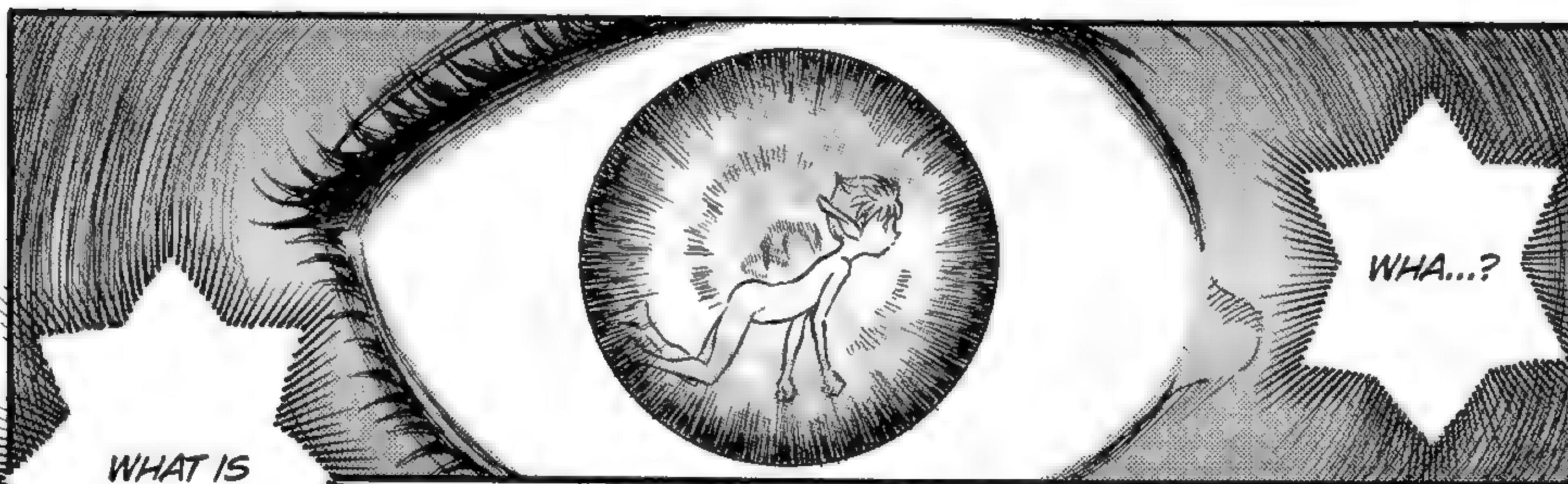
*FX: ZSSHA



THEN
WHERE
DID SHE
GO?!

HMM... IT'S LIKE
THEY CAME OUTTA
EVERYWHERE,
BUT THERE WAS
ONE BIG SPIRIT,
SO I THINK
SHE'S IN THAT.

*FX: SHANG



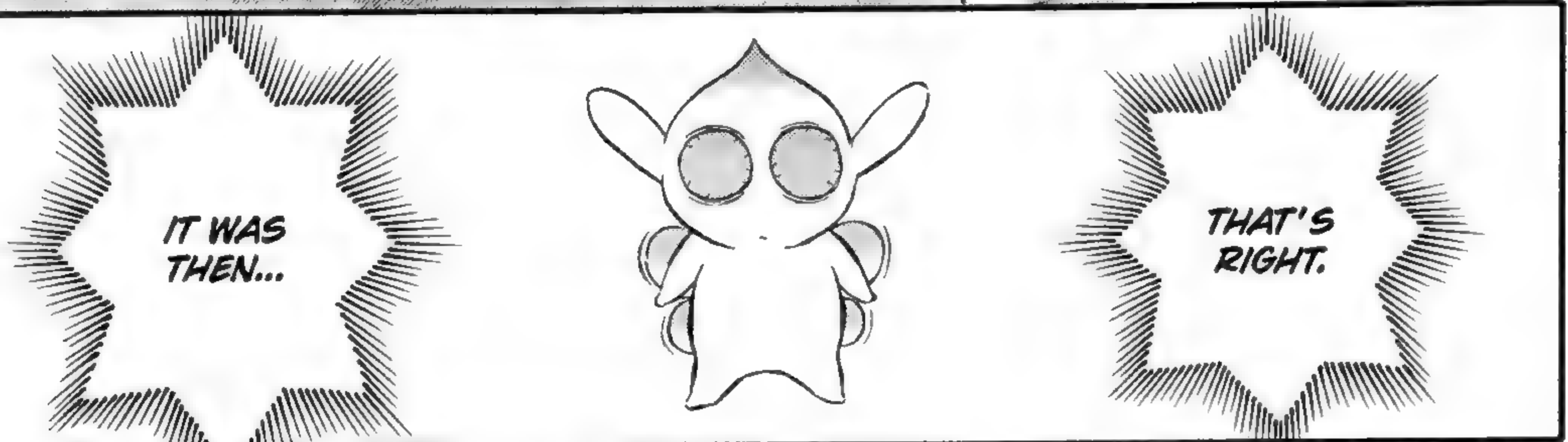
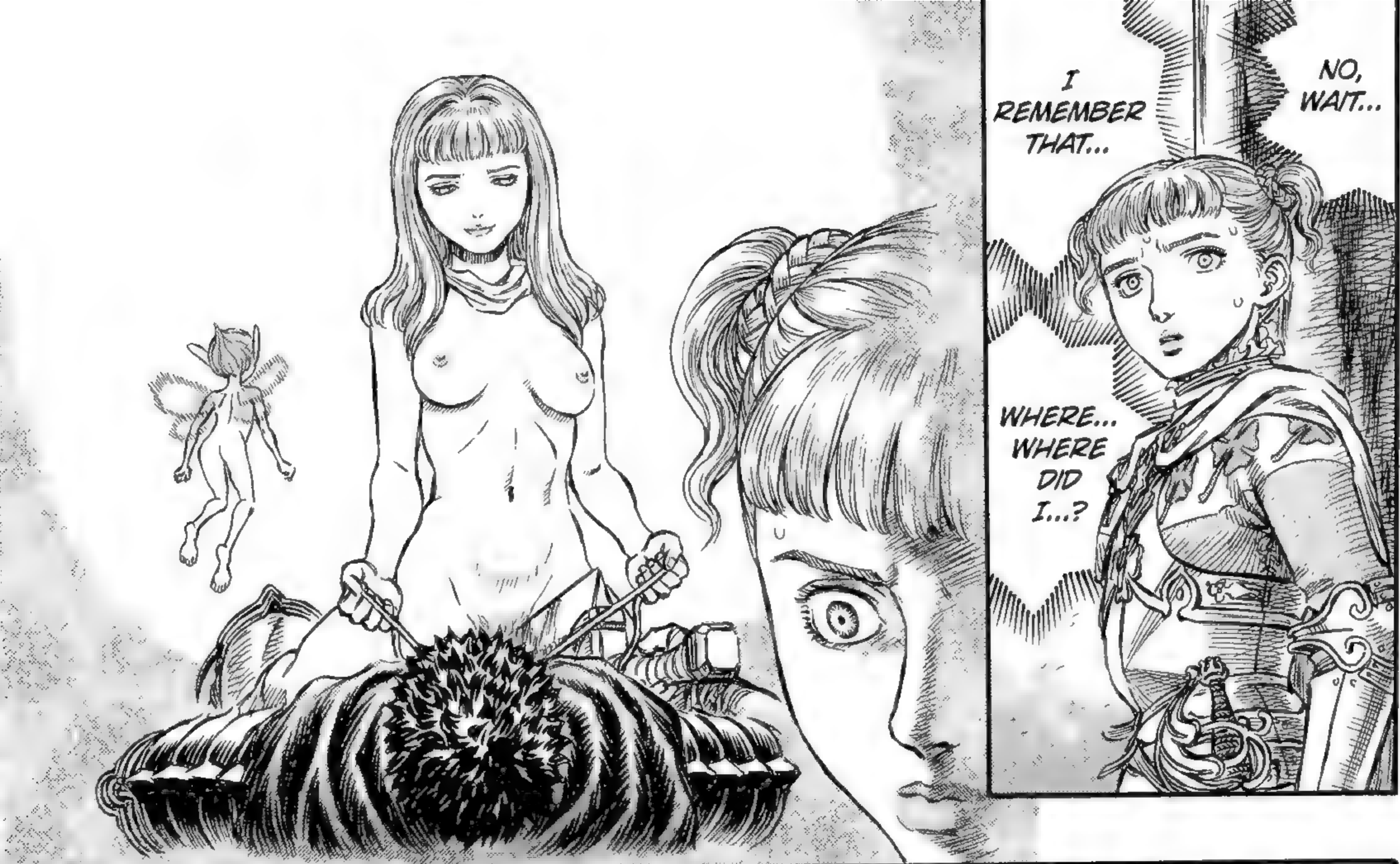
WHA...?

WHAT IS
THAT...?!

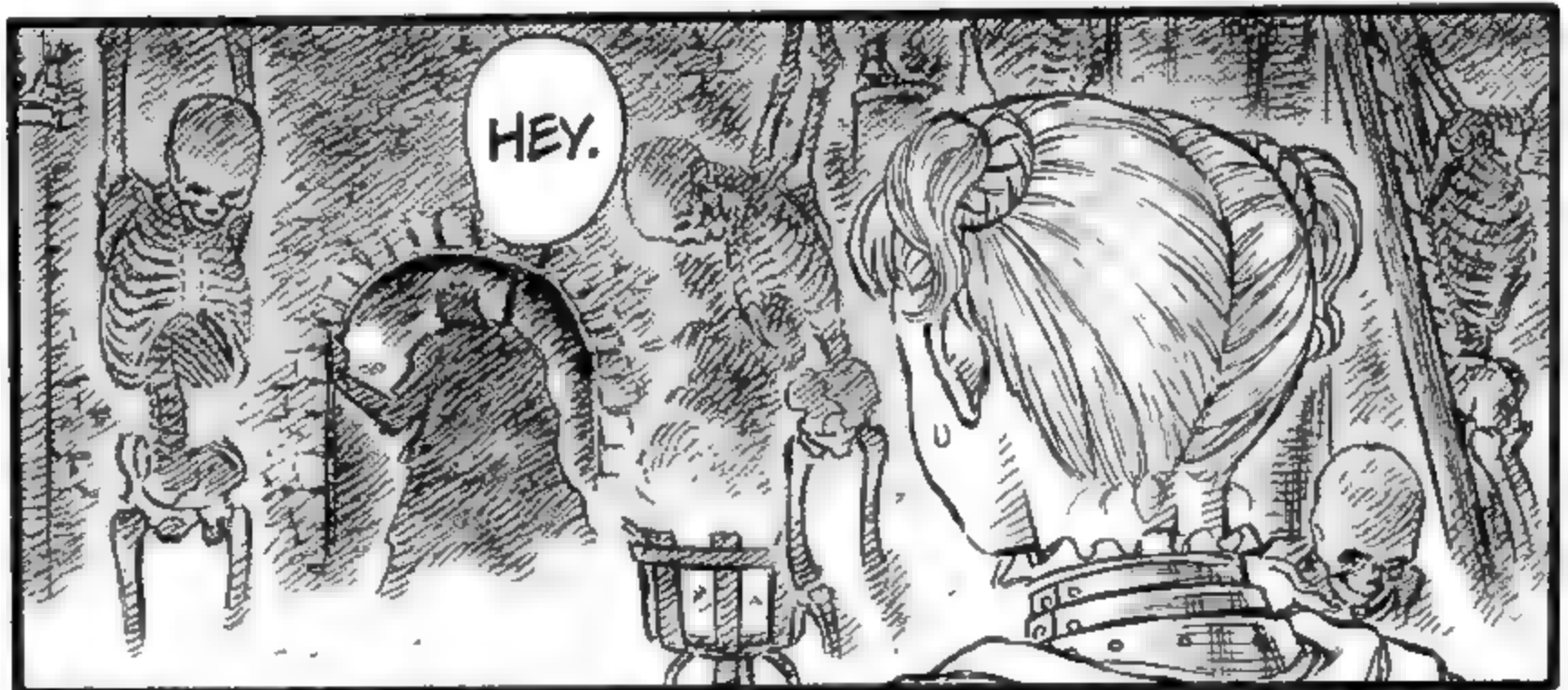
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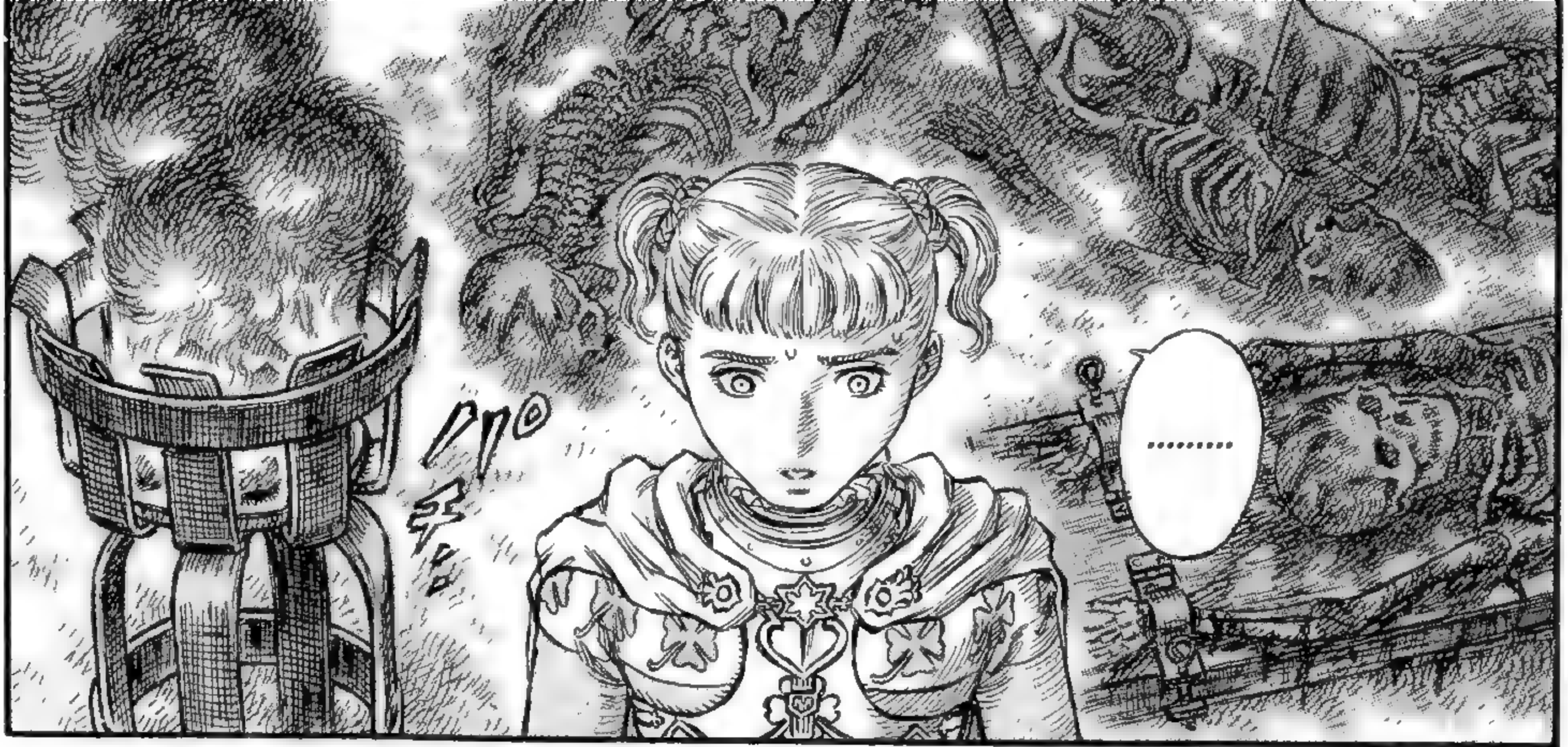


THIS
WAY.



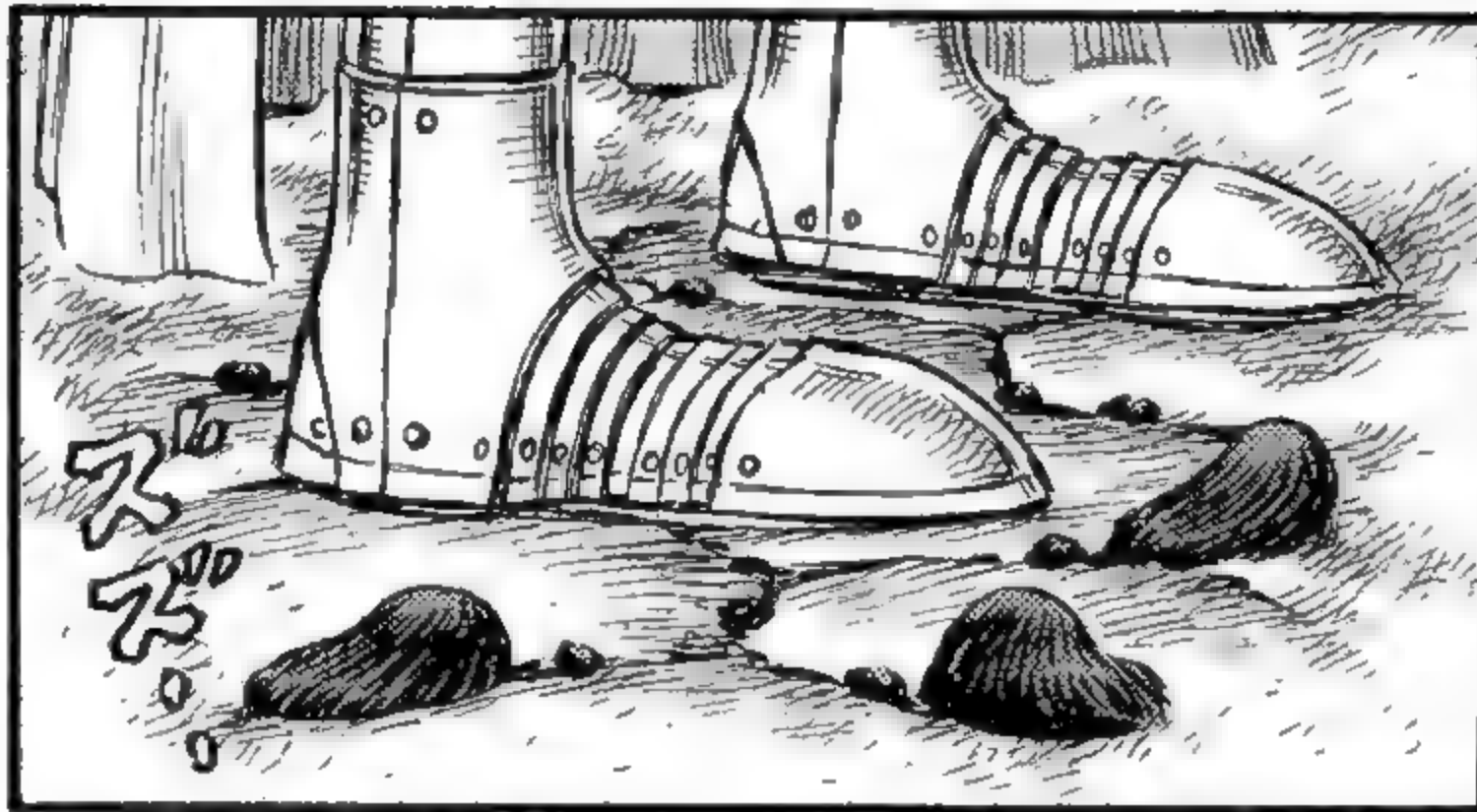
*FX: FLAP



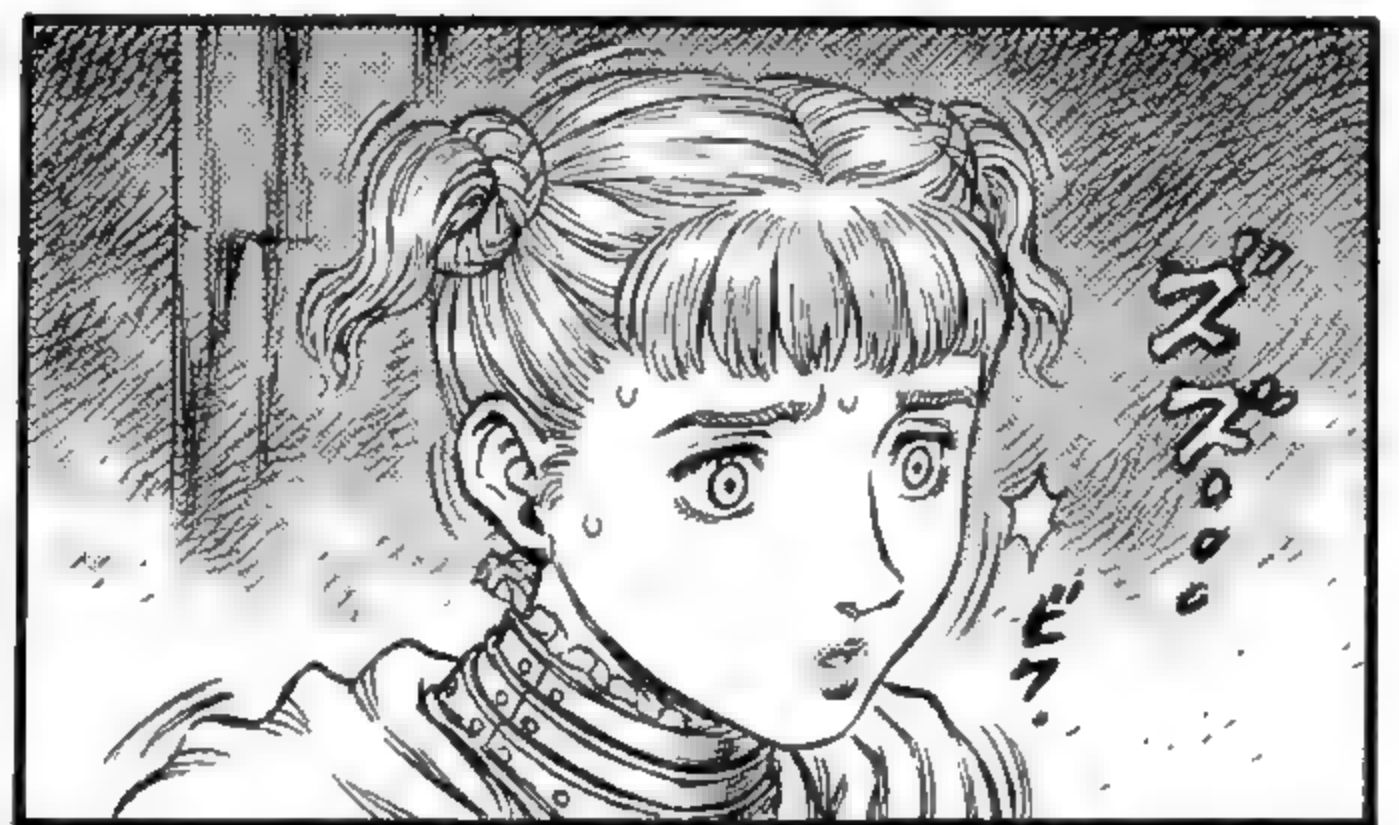


*FX: SNAP

*FX: ZZM

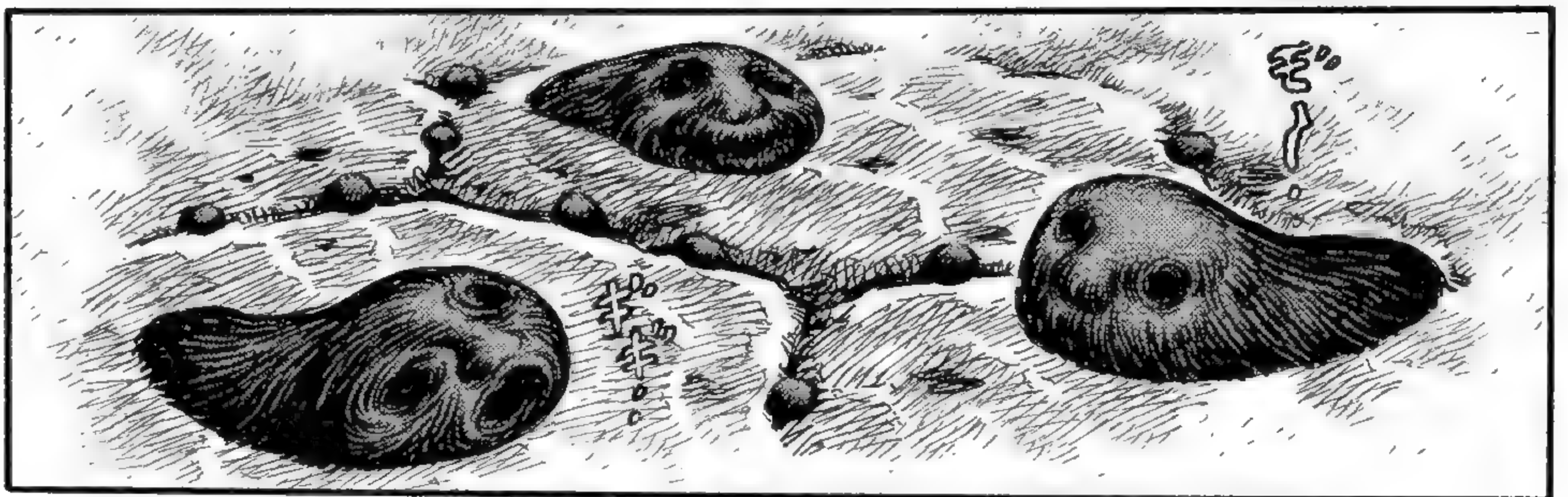


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*FX: FLINCH

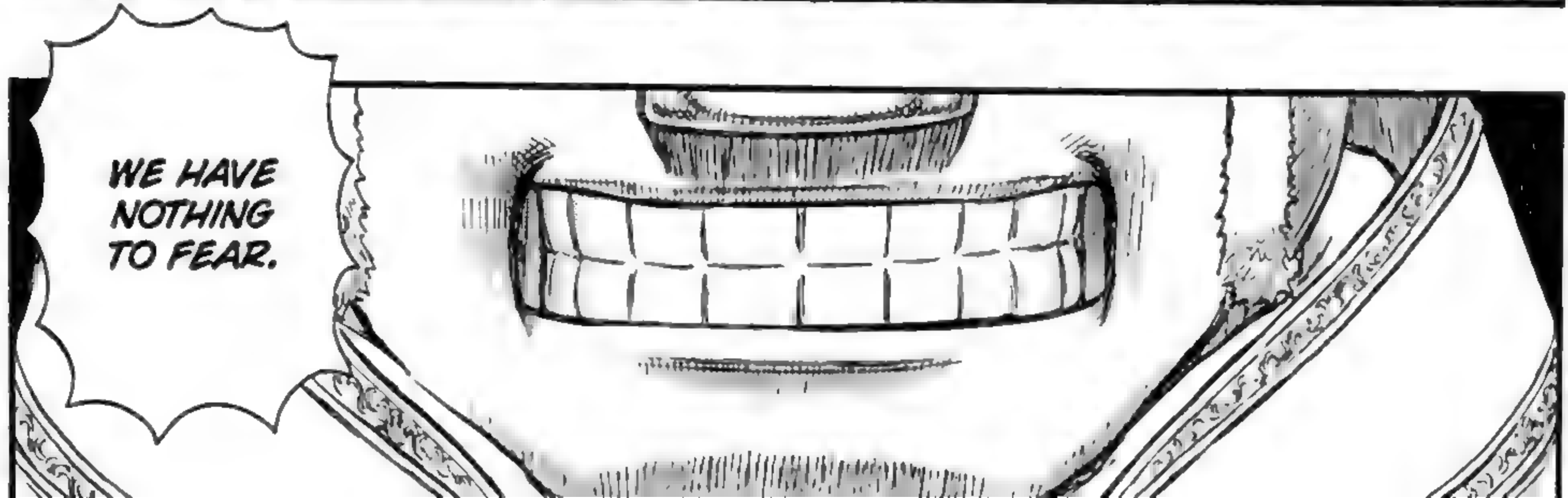
*FX: MGHOOO



*FX: GEEE

*FX: SHUDDER







I DEVOTE
MYSELF
GLADLY TO
THIS TRIAL.



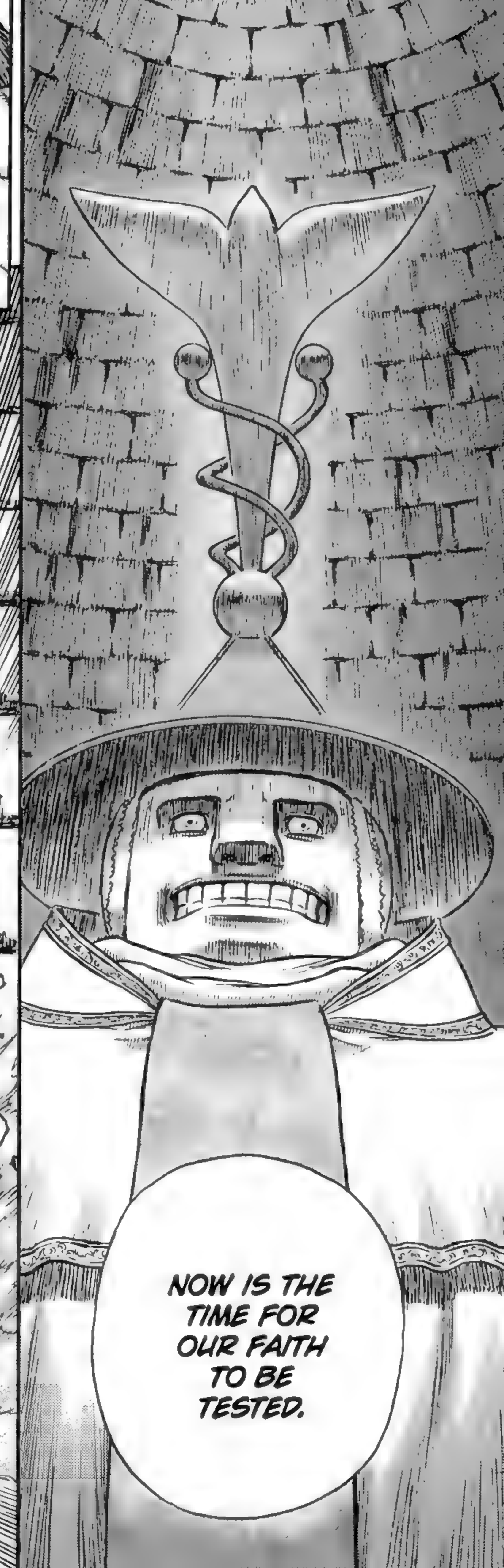
FAITH
DEMANDS
OUR ALL.



OUR MOUTHS
SHALL NOT
CALL OUT
FOR GOD TO
SAVE US.



REPENT,
THOU
DEAD!!!



NOW IS THE
TIME FOR
OUR FAITH
TO BE
TESTED.



IT IS
THROUGH
DEATH
THAT WE
ESPY
FAITH!!!

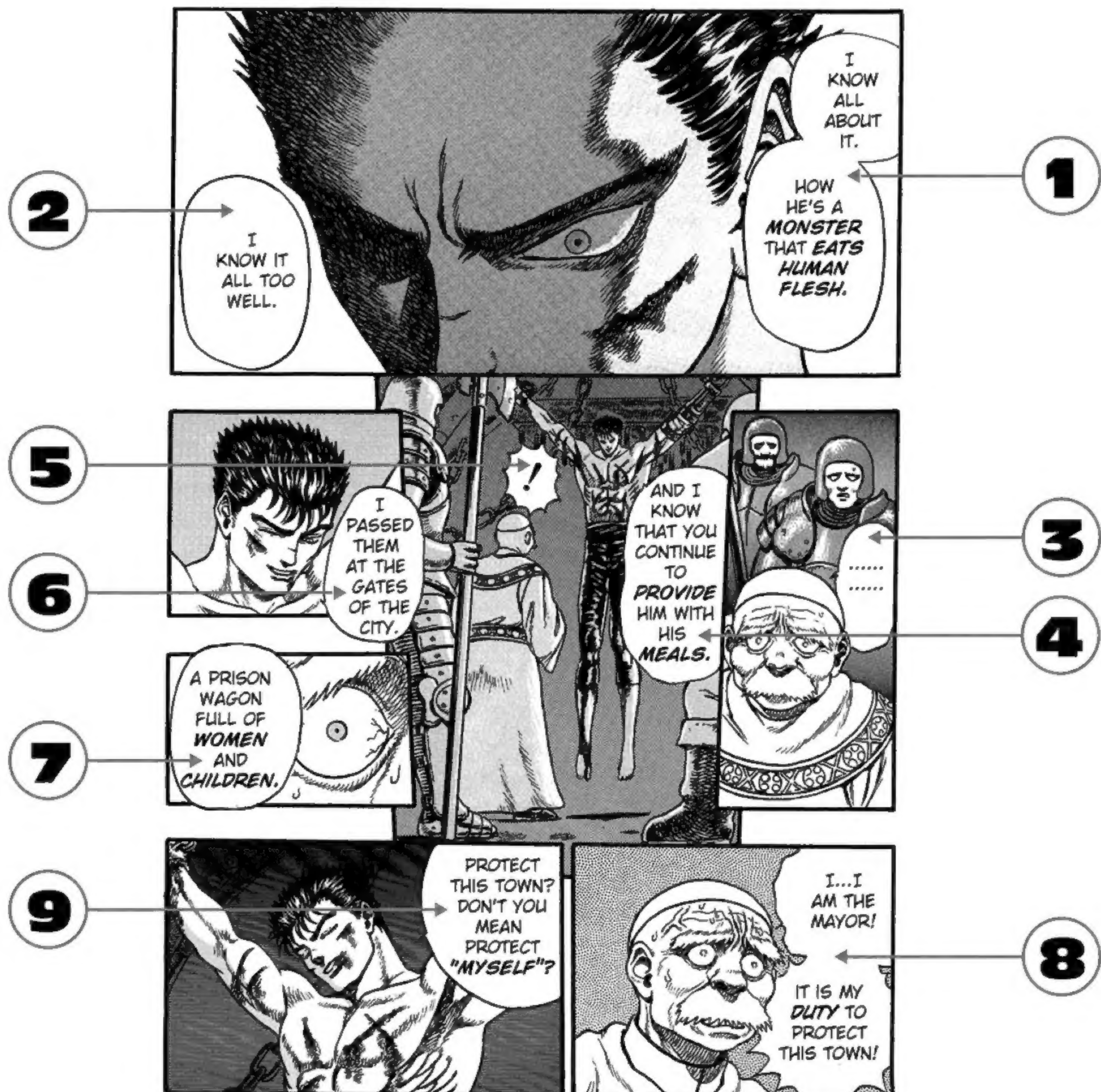
CONVICTION ARC
BIRTH CEREMONY CHAPTER
BLOOD FLOW OF THE DEAD (2): END



STOP

This is the back of the book!

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BERSERK

**KENTARO
MIURA**

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三浦建太郎

The bewildered and near-mad Casca, former captain of the Band of the Hawk—and former lover of Guts, the Black Swordsman—has been adopted by Midland's pagan cults as a witch because of her demonic Mark of Sacrifice. The Holy Iron Chain Knights' campaign to rid the kingdom of heretics by any means necessary puts Casca in mortal danger, and Guts is having none of it, but all parties involved may end up with more than they bargained for as demonic spirits, drawn to Casca's brand, begin to possess the heretics and unleash the forces of Hell. But Hell hath no fury like the Black Swordsman!

Created by Kentaro Miura, *Berserk* is a crushing manga jackhammer, a bone-splintering epic of extreme action, excruciating horror, and excessive humor that sets its fanatic followers afire and puts its detractors in their place—six feet under!

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